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*We share this season of joy with you,
our faithful alumni and friends.
Even as we celebrate the birth of Jesus
the Christ child, we acknowledge with
gratitude God's grace and goodness in
our lives. May the hopes and promises
of Christmas be yours in rich abundance.*

— Jim and Martie Bultman



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Students host area children

With Christmas within reaching distance, October 31 seems like the far past, but at Hope the date anticipated the season of giving.

In an event that is developing into a tradition, nine residence halls opened their doors to young trick-or-treaters on Halloween night. Hundreds of Hope students gave out candy to the horde of local children—toddlers to teens—who traveled door-to-door in the halls.

For the children, the campus provides an extremely high-yield candy-gathering experience, with each door only a few steps away from the other. Although Halloween night this year was mild, the indoor venue also provides families with a climate-controlled option when the

weather is unfriendly.

The night also proves entertaining. Many Hope students were dressed in costume while distributing their treats, and some decorated their halls accordingly. In Dykstra, entire clusters worked together to turn their lounges into elaborately crafted "haunted houses" for their young visitors.

In addition to Dykstra, the participating halls were College East, Cook, Durfee, Gilmore, Kollen, Lichty, Phelps and Van Vleck. On the Saturday before Halloween, in another nascent tradition, Voorhees Hall hosted its ninth annual "Haunted Hall" for visitors 13 and older.

The Hope students donated much of the candy distributed on Halloween night. Local organizations also contributing candy for the event included A.D. Bos Co., Holland Peanut Store and Lifesavers Company, in addition to the Kletz snack bar and the Office of Student Development at Hope. ✎



A total of nine Hope residence halls opened their doors to young trick-or-treaters on Halloween, and hundreds of Hope students distributed candy to a horde of costumed kids. Pictured are sophomores Kjersti Teachman of Stewartstown, Pa., and Meredith Bulkeley of Galesburg, Ill.

"Quote, unquote"

Quote, unquote is an eclectic sampling of things said at and about Hope College.

This year's Critical Issues Symposium, held on Tuesday-Wednesday, Oct. 3-4, examined a variety of issues related to the Internet's growing influence. The presentations included the address "Three Troubling Questions about the Internet," by Dr. James A. Herrick of the communication faculty.

While he praised the good that has come from the Internet, Dr. Herrick encouraged his audience to consider the following: "Are Christians today, in our individual and corporate infatuation with the Internet, running the risk of rendering to Caesar the things that are God's?"; "Can the Internet enhance the development of Christian community, foster Christian fellowship, and promote spiritual growth?"; and "What about a Christian concern to care for people and to expose the reality of temptation?"

Excerpts follow from his discussion of the first question. More about the symposium can be found on page six.

"The Internet, like all of our economic and governmental systems, is one of the 'systems of the world' the Apostle Paul talks about in the first few verses of the second chapter of Ephesians...

"As Christians, we should approach such systems with great caution. Paul says that our lives are not to 'be in line' with these systems.

"I take it he means that, though we may need to acknowledge their presence and even have some involvement with them ourselves, we do not take our bearings from these systems of the present worldly order of things which, he says, are under enemy control. We are not to

adopt their values as our own, not to order our lives according to their priorities. Rather we should be careful to take our bearings from the truth as we know it in Jesus Christ...

"What is it we are watching out for here in a system of the world? Here are some examples: If the system is driven by profit and promotes covetousness, realize that the Kingdom of God is driven by grace and promotes selflessness. If the system promotes anonymity and undermines personal accountability, realize that the Kingdom of God redeems and celebrates personal identity and insists on personal accountability. If a system promotes the physical separation of persons or makes physical proximity irrelevant to community, recognize that the Kingdom of God is built on something called the church, a global community made up of local communities of people in face-to-face contact with one another...

"Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's. What is due to God? Here is a short list. Our worship. Our love. Our resources. Our relationships. Our thoughts. Our time. When we recognize that these things are being adversely affected by a system of the world, we need to pause and ask whether we might not be rendering to Caesar the things that are God's.

"For many of us, our devotion to the Internet and all related paraphernalia—games, entertainment sites, chat rooms, etc.—reflects that we may be unconsciously operating by the rules of a world system that would like our time, our thoughts and our resources... Most of us need to ask ourselves some hard questions about how such use of personal time is affecting human relationships, our relationship with God, our sense of calling and the development of our abilities." ✎



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On the cover

The event preceded the holidays, but soprano Crystal Stabenow's performance during the annual "Collage Concert" on Thursday, Oct. 12, with the stained glass windows of Dimnent Memorial Chapel in the background, made a fitting image for this year's Christmas cover. Stabenow is a sophomore from Mount Pleasant, Mich.

Below is a striking three-dimensional rendering of the planned science center expansion. The view is of the building's northwest entrance, at Graves Place (11th Street) near the western edge of VanderWerf Hall.

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Campus Notes

RETIREMENT NOTE: Provost Dr. Jacob E. Nyenhuis will retire in June, concluding more than a quarter century of service to the college.

Dr. Nyenhuis announced his retirement on Tuesday, Nov. 28, during the November meeting of the Hope faculty. Following his remarks, the faculty paid tribute to him with a standing ovation.



Dr. Jacob E. Nyenhuis

A feature story about him will appear in the February issue of *news from Hope College*.

SIGN-UP LINE-UP: Each year, about 10 percent of the Hope student body participates in spring break mission trips.

The sign-ups take place in the fall. Early in the morning. At 6:30 in the morning.

Many participants are so eager to land spots on the trips that they are not only willing to show up at 6:30 a.m., but camp out in the Maas Center lobby the night before to land a choice spot in line—and thus the most options in choosing a trip.

The Campus Ministries program is coordinating 21 spring break mission trips this year (an increase from last year to accommodate more students), throughout the United States as well as abroad. Working in teams of 15 each, the participating students will take part in projects ranging from helping build a school in Belize, to working in a soup kitchen in Washington, D.C., to home-repair work in rural Appalachia.

GIVING OPTIONS: Hope College can now accept credit cards as a gift-giving method for charitable gifts to the college. On Monday, Nov. 13, Hope began accepting Discover Card, MasterCard and Visa for gifts to the college from alumni, parents and friends of the college.

Those interested in making a gift to the college via credit card should please contact Carrie Borchers Baumann, assistant director of the Annual Fund. She may be reached at (616) 395-7796 or Baumann@hope.edu

Other methods of giving include electronic funds transfer through the college's EZ Giving program, transfers of stocks and securities, and personal checks.

CONFERENCE CENTER: Scholars, researchers and other professionals from around the world gathered in West Michigan for major conferences either held at Hope or co-sponsored by Hope this fall.

The events included conferences in biology, chemistry, medievalism and psychology, the latter three at the Haworth Inn and Conference Center.

The Seventh International Conference on Mechanisms of Antimutagenesis and Anticarcinogenesis (ICMAA), co-sponsored by Hope, was held at the Amway Grand Plaza hotel in Grand Rapids, Mich., on Saturday-Wednesday, Sept. 23-27. The Fifteenth International Conference on Medievalism was held on campus on Thursday-Saturday, Sept. 28-30. The second annual Symposium on Analytical Chemistry was held on campus on Friday, Oct. 6. The conference "Positive Psychology: Alternatives to Materialism" was scheduled to run Friday-Sunday, Dec. 8-10.

Performance marks dedication

Now it's official.

The college's new studio organ, installed during the summer, was celebrated with a "Ceremony of Dedication" on Friday, Oct. 6. While the organ and its home were built with teaching and research in mind, an audience of approximately 40 was squeezed into the space to hear remarks and a brief concert designed to demonstrate the instrument's range.

"I feel right now like the luckiest organist alive," said Dr. Huw Lewis, a professor of music and college organist.

Dr. Lewis especially praised the instrument for the substantial difference that it has already made to the college's organ students.

"It's changed the lives of the students here," he said. "I know it's inspired them to achieve higher things."

He also noted, however, that having, in a studio of his own, an outstanding organ on which to practice has had an equally significant impact on his work as a scholar and artist. And, he said, the instrument is simply a joy in its own right.

"Because the instrument is such a beautiful thing to behold and hear, it has given me a new lease on life," he said.

The organ was made possible through a gift to the college from Gerrit Hospers



A dedication ceremony in October celebrated the completion of the studio organ in Nykerk Hall of Music—and presented a unique opportunity to experience in concert an instrument that will sing primarily in rehearsal. Dr. Huw Lewis of the music faculty discussed the organ project with the audience and then presented a recital including work by J.S. Bach, Louis Vierne and Charles-Marie Widor.

'49 of Ontario Center, N.Y. The instrument was built in England by J.W. Walker & Sons of Brandon, Suffolk.

Those making remarks during the ceremony included Robert Pennells, chair of the board of J.W. Walker & Sons, and

David Wilson, tonal director with the company. The technical details of the organ were determined by Pennells's son Andrew, who died in October of 1999 of lung cancer. Hope's instrument was his last organ. ✎

The ICMAA was attended by more than 200 scientists from around the world. The conference focused on mutation and cancer prevention, which is aimed at either preventing the genetic effects associated with the occurrence of disease or at reversing disease once it has started. Issues ranged from DNA damage and repair, to the impact of diet, to recent advances using laboratory and human studies.

The Fifteenth International Conference on Medievalism featured papers on all aspects of medievalism, which explores the Middle Ages as a construction in Western culture since the era ended in approximately 1500 A.D. Medievalism was first identified as a subject for academic inquiry by Leslie J. Workman, an independent scholar now based at Hope. (Excerpts from one of the addresses will be featured in the "Quote, unquote" column of the February issue of *news from Hope College*.)

The second annual Symposium on Analytical Chemistry focused on analytical chemistry in pharmaceutical process development. Approximately 100 attended. The symposium is part of the Hope College Chemistry Distinguished Scholars Program, which is funded through a grant from Pfizer Global Research and Development.

"Positive Psychology: Alternatives to Materialism" is examining the issue of resource consumption and its effects on society, particularly the way that increased consumption can lead to materialism. Approximately 30 internationally-known psychologists are scheduled to attend the event.

(See "Campus Notes" on page 15.)

Interim dean named

The Rev. Dr. Timothy Brown '73 of Holland has been appointed interim dean of the chapel at Hope.

Dr. Brown, who is a member of the faculty at Western Theological Seminary, will serve in the role during the spring semester. The current dean, the Rev. Ben Patterson, is leaving Hope to assume responsibilities at Westmont College in Santa Barbara, Calif. Hope is in the process of conducting a national search for his successor.

"We think that Tim Brown is a great choice for this interim assignment," said President James Bultman '63. "As an alumnus, member of the Board of Trustees and a part-time faculty member, Tim knows our institution and students well. We're very grateful to the seminary for allowing us to have him on a part-time basis during his planned spring sabbatical from Western."

In addition, during the interim period additional responsibilities will be assumed by the Rev. Paul Boersma '82, a chaplain at Hope since 1994. "We are pleased that we'll have a person of Paul's caliber to assume more responsibility during this time of transition," Bultman said.

Dr. Brown is the Henry Bast Professor of Preaching at Western Theological Seminary. He joined the seminary faculty in 1995.

From 1983 to 1995, he was pastor of



The Rev. Dr. Timothy Brown '73

Christ Memorial Church in Holland. He has also served the First Reformed Church of South Holland, Ill., from 1970 to 1983, and Fellowship Reformed Church in Hudsonville from 1976 to 1980.

He delivered Hope's Baccalaureate sermon in 1992. He has written several articles for *The Church Herald*, *The Reformed Review* and *Perspectives* magazine.

He holds an M.Div. and a D.Min. from Western Theological Seminary.

His wife is Nancy Johnson '71 Brown. They have three children, all of whom attended Hope: Sarah '96, Jonathan '99 and Rebekah '00. ✎

Events

Academic Calendar

Spring Semester '01

Jan. 7, Sunday—Residence halls open, noon

Jan. 8, Monday—Registration for new students, Maas Center auditorium, 3:30–4:30 p.m.

Jan. 9, Tuesday—Classes begin, 8 a.m.

Feb. 9, Friday—Winter Recess begins, 6 p.m.

Feb. 14, Wednesday—Winter Recess ends, 8 a.m.

March 16, Friday—Spring Recess begins, 8 a.m.

March 26, Monday—Spring Recess ends, 8 a.m.

April 13, Friday—Good Friday. Classes not in session, but not an official holiday

April 26, Thursday—Honors Convocation, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 7 p.m.

April 27, Friday—Spring Festival; classes dismissed at 1 p.m.

April 30–May 4, Monday–Friday—Semester Examinations

May 4, Friday—Residence halls close for those not participating in Commencement, 5 p.m.

May 5, Saturday—Alumni Day

May 6, Sunday—Baccalaureate and Commencement; residence halls close for graduating seniors, 7 p.m.

May Term '01—May 7–June 1

June Term '01—June 4–29

Summer Session '01—July 2–27

Summer Seminars '01—July 30–Aug. 3

Admissions

Campus Visits: The Admissions Office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, and from 9 a.m. until noon on Saturdays. Tours and admissions interviews are available during the summer as well as the school year. Appointments are recommended.

Visitation Days offer specific programs for prospective students, including transfers and high school juniors and seniors. The programs show students and their parents a typical day in the life of a Hope student. The dates for 2000–01 are as follows:

Monday, Jan. 15 Friday, Feb. 16
Friday, Feb. 2 Friday, March 2

Junior Days: Friday, March 30; Friday, April 20

Senior Day: Saturday, April 21 (for admitted students)

Pre–Professional Day: May, TBA (for juniors)

For further information about any Admissions Office event, please call (616) 395–7850, or toll free 1–800–968–7850 or write: Hope College Admissions Office; 69 E. 10th St.; PO Box 9000; Holland, MI; 49422–9000.

Dance

InSync Dance Theatre—Friday–Saturday, Jan. 26–27

Knickerbocker Theatre, 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$6 for regular adult admission and \$4 for students and senior citizens, and will be available at the door. Admission is free for children under 12.

Dance 27—Thursday–Saturday, March 8–10

DeWitt Center main theatre, 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$6 for regular adult admission and \$4 for students and senior citizens, and will be available approximately two weeks before the concert opens.

Contemporary Motions—Friday–Saturday, April 6–7

Knickerbocker Theatre, 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$6 for regular adult admission and \$4 for students and senior citizens, and will be available at the door. Admission is free for children under 12.

Spring Student Dance Concert—Tuesday–Wednesday, April 24–25

Knickerbocker Theatre, 8 p.m.

Admission is free.

Aerial Dance Theater—May TBA

Knickerbocker Theatre, 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$6 for regular adult admission and \$4 for students and senior citizens, and will be available at the door. Admission is free for children under 12.

Cecchetti International Ballet Summer Dance Workshop—

Saturday, July 14

Knickerbocker Theatre, 1:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Admission is free.



The Great Performance Series will feature Quartetto Gelato on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 8 p.m.

Alumni and Friends

Regional Events

Various Locations Nationwide—Saturday, Jan. 20

A gathering with Hope and Calvin alumni and friends to watch the Hope–Calvin men’s basketball game on a big–screen television. The game starts at 3 p.m. Eastern Time. A postcard with details will be sent to the areas hosting a satellite party.

Grand Rapids, Mich.—Tuesday, Jan. 30, 7:30 p.m.

A performance of *Show Boat* at DeVos Hall.

Grand Rapids, Mich.—Thursday, April 19, noon

A luncheon at Duba’s Restaurant, 420 E. Beltline Ave. NE. Advance registration is requested.

Winter Happening—Saturday, Jan. 27

Alumni Weekend—Friday–Sunday, May 4–6

Includes reunions for every fifth class from ’36 through ’81.

Community Day—Saturday, Sept. 15

Homecoming Weekend—Friday–Sunday, Oct. 12–14

Includes reunions for 1986, 1991 and 1996.

For additional information concerning alumni events, please call the Office of Public and Alumni Relations at (616) 395–7860.

Visiting Writers Series

Thursday, Feb. 22: Van Jordan and Allison Joseph; Knickerbocker Theatre, 7 p.m.; in conjunction with Black History Month and Women’s Week

Monday, March 12: “Behind the Broken Words,” featuring Roscoe Lee Browne and Anthony Zerbe, Knickerbocker Theatre, 8 p.m.; in conjunction with the Great Performance Series. Tickets will be on sale on Wednesday–Friday, March 7–9, and Monday, March 12, in the DeWitt Center ticket office, and are \$12.50 for regular adult admission, \$10.50 for senior citizens and \$6.50 for students. For more information, call (616) 395–6996.

Wednesday, April 18: Evelina Galang and Dana Levin; Knickerbocker Theatre, 7 p.m.

Live music by the Hope College Jazz Chamber Ensemble will precede the reading beginning at 6:30 p.m. except on Monday, March 12. Admission is free except as noted for Monday, March 12. For more information or to be placed on the series’s mailing list, please call the department of English at (616) 395–7620.

Traditional Events

Musical Showcase—Monday, April 9, 8 p.m.

Honors Convocation—Thursday, April 26, 7 p.m.

Baccalaureate and Commencement—Sunday, May 6

Music

Dordt College Concert—Thursday, Jan. 11: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 7:30 p.m. Admission is free.

Senior Recital—Saturday, Jan. 13: Jeannette Johnson of Davisburg, Mich., piano, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 2 p.m. Admission is free.

AGO Concert—Tuesday, Jan. 23: Peter Stoltzf, organ, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Concerto Aria Concert—Friday, Jan. 26: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Faculty Recital Series—Sunday, Jan. 28: Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 4 p.m. Admission is free.

Artist Piano Series—Friday, Feb. 2: David Gross, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Tickets will be available at the door, and cost \$5 for adults and \$3 for students. Admission is free for Hope students with a current student ID.

Intercollegiate Honors Band Concert—Saturday, Feb. 3: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Faculty Recital—Sunday, Feb. 4: Richard Piippo, cello, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 4 p.m. Admission is free.

Great Performance Series—Tuesday, Feb. 6: Quartetto Gelato, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Tickets will go on sale on Sunday, Feb. 4, in the DeWitt Center ticket office, and are \$12.50 for regular adult admission, \$10.50 for senior citizens and \$6.50 for students. For more information, call (616) 395–6996.

Junior Recital—Thursday, Feb. 8: Heidi Osmundson of Adams, Minn., flute, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 6 p.m. Admission is free.

Jazz Ensembles Concert—Thursday, Feb. 8: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Thursday, Feb. 15: Sarah Herman of Sylvania, Ohio, piano, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 6 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Friday, Feb. 16: Jeremy Lydic of Eldridge, Iowa, baritone, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 6 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Friday, Feb. 16: Lauren Kruse of Holland, Mich., viola, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Faculty Recital Series—Sunday, Feb. 18: Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 4 p.m. Admission is free.

Wind Symphony Concert—Tuesday, Feb. 20: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Symphonette Concert—Friday, Feb. 23: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Opera Workshop Concert—Tuesday, Feb. 27: Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Thursday, March 1: Jennifer Walvoord of Holland, Mich., violin, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Friday, March 2: Piper Spratt of Kalamazoo, Mich., piano, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 6 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Saturday, March 3: Melissa Kuchek of Holland, Mich., soprano, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 4 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Saturday, March 3: Christopher Meyer of Holland, Mich., cello, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 6 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Wednesday, March 7: Susan DeKam of Caledonia, Mich., piano, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Orchestra Concert—Friday, March 9: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Faculty Recital Series—Sunday, March 11: Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 4 p.m. Admission is free.

Chapel Choir Home Concert—Wednesday, March 14: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Symphonette Concert—Friday, March 30: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Friday, April 6: Sarah Proulx of Ionia, Mich., soprano, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 6 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Friday, April 6: Hilary Peterson of Jacksonville, Ill., violin, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Junior Recital—Saturday, April 7: Jessica Schulte of Clarkston, Mich., flute, Wichers Auditorium of Nykerk Hall of Music, 6 p.m. Admission is free.

Christmas Vespers



Bring a beloved Hope tradition home for the holidays by enjoying Christmas Vespers on one of the radio and PBS stations that will feature the service this year. Contact the station in your area for the day and time.

ARIZONA

Dixon's Mills—WMBV-FM
Yuma—KCFY-FM

ARKANSAS

Little Rock—KAAY-AM

CONNECTICUT

Middletown—WIHS-FM

FLORIDA

Tallahassee—WCVC-AM

INDIANA

Gary—WGVE-FM

IOWA

Mason City—KCMR-FM
Shenandoah—KYFR-AM
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Sioux Center—KDCR-FM
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LOUISIANA

New Orleans—WSHO-AM

KENTUCKY

Hopkinsville—WNKJ-FM

MICHIGAN

Ann Arbor—
WUOM/WVGR/WFUM-FM
Bad Axe—WLEW-AM
Benton Harbor—WSJM-AM
Dowagiac—WVHQ-FM
Escanaba—WDBC-AM
Escanaba—WCHT-AM
Grand Rapids—WFUR-FM
Hillsdale—WCSR AM/FM



HOLLAND

—WHTC-AM
Wednesday, Dec. 20, 6 p.m.; Friday,
Dec. 22, 6 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 23,
3 p.m.; Monday, Dec. 25, 9:30 a.m.

HOLLAND

—WJQ-AM
Sunday, Dec. 24, 9 p.m.
Ironwood—WUPM-FM/WHRY-AM
Marquette—WNMU-FM
Port Huron—WPHM-AM
Twin Lake—WBLV-FM
White Lake—WBLD-FM
Zeeland—WGNB-FM
Monday, Dec. 18, 4 p.m.;
Sunday, Dec. 24, 4 p.m.

MINNESOTA

Blue Earth—KJLY-FM
Worthington—KWOA-AM/FM

NEBRASKA

Omaha—KCRO-AM

NEW JERSEY

Zarephath—WAWZ-FM

NEW YORK

Syracuse—WMHR-FM
Dunkirk—WDOE-AM

NORTH CAROLINA

Mooreville—WHIP-AM

OHIO

Springfield—WEEC-FM
Zanesville—WCVA-FM

OKLAHOMA

Altus—KKVO-FM

PENNSYLVANIA

Wellsboro—WLIH-FM

SOUTH DAKOTA

Yankton—WNAX-AM

TENNESSEE

Bluff City—WHCB-FM
Chattanooga—WFLI-AM

VERMONT

Rutland—WFTF-FM

WASHINGTON

Seattle—KNHC-FM

WEST VIRGINIA

Huntington—WEMM-FM

WISCONSIN

Waupun—WMRH-AM

TELEVISION

PBS stations WGVU-TV 35 of Grand Rapids, Mich., and WGVK-TV 52 of Kalamazoo, Mich., will be carrying the 2000 Christmas Vespers service on Sunday, Dec. 24, at 9 p.m., and on Monday, Dec. 25, at 9 a.m., 1 p.m. and 8 p.m.

The program has also been made available to PBS stations throughout the United States. Please check your area's television listings for your local station's plans. The listing on the college's website, www.hope.edu, will also be updated as information becomes available.

Events

De Pree Gallery

Work by Billy Mayer—Saturday, Jan. 13–Friday, Feb. 9
Work executed by Professor Mayer of the Hope art faculty during his recent sabbatical.

Work by Katherine Kadish and Jackie Bartley—Monday, Feb. 19–Friday, March 23

Visual artist Katherine Kadish and poet Jackie Bartley of the Hope English faculty exhibit independent but complementary work in a series titled "Patterns."

"Senior Show"—Friday, April 6–Sunday, May 6

Work by graduating seniors.

The gallery is open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is free.

Hope College Theatre

Rimers of Eldritch—Friday–Saturday, Feb. 16–17; Wednesday–Saturday, Feb. 21–24

Location TBA, 8 p.m.

A Midsummer Night's Dream—Friday–Saturday, April 20–21; Wednesday–Saturday, April 25–28

DeWitt Center, main theatre, 8 p.m.

Tickets for Hope College Theatre productions are \$7 for regular adult admission, \$5 for Hope faculty and staff, and \$4 for senior citizens and students, and will be available approximately two weeks before the production opens. The ticket office is open Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday from noon to 5 p.m., and may be called at (616) 395-7890.

Instant Information

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HOPE SPORTS

The official site for Flying Dutch and Flying Dutchmen athletics

Catch audio coverage of Flying Dutchmen basketball in the MIAA via the World Wide Web. The fastest link is through the Hope College website: www.hope.edu/pr/athletics

Symposium views life with the Wild, Wild Web

Only a few years before, the three young alumni might have been in the audience in VanderWerf Hall.

Today, however, they were the experts that the others had come to hear, as part of the college's two-day Critical Issues Symposium, "Gold Rush and Ghost Towns: Living with the Internet."

Peter Beckman '96, Rob Malda '98 and Nate Oostendorp '99 had been invited back to discuss their experiences as Internet entrepreneurs. In keeping with the symposium's theme, their session was titled "Staking Your Claim in the Internet."

Beckman created "Adcritic.com," which provides a forum for commenting on advertising. Shortly before the symposium, he was quoted as an industry expert in the *Washington Post* on why NBC had pulled the Nike "slasher" commercial from the Olympics.

Malda created the online news and discussion site "Slashdot.org" while a Hope junior, going on to run it with friends from college (including Oostendorp, Jeff Bates '98 and Kurt DeMaagd '00). Operating with the motto "News for nerds. Stuff that matters," the popular site has earned news and feature stories in publications ranging from the *Washington Post* to the *Wall Street Journal* to the *Detroit Free Press*—including reports of Slashdot's multi-million dollar sale to Andover.net in 1999.

From working with Malda in Slashdot's Holland, Mich., headquarters, Oostendorp has since moved to Walnut Creek, Calif. He created and runs "Everything2.com," which he described as "an encyclopedia you create yourself," with others contributing information to the site.

As informal in attire and manner as the students in their audience, Beckman, Malda and Oostendorp spoke freely about their experiences as Web pioneers.

Beckman chronicled the series of interests and jobs that led ultimately to Adcritic.com—ranging from enjoying clever television advertising while at Hope, to a difficult experience working on the Air Force's Web site at the Pentagon ("The government is very, very different from a liberal arts college, in so many different ways...," he said), to employment with Internet service providers.

"This is really the conglomeration of experiences that I had leading up to that, including the Pentagon thing, but also including the experiences that I had in the computer science department," he said.

The lesson he learned, Beckman told the audience, was to value the good and bad alike. "You're only going to learn from your experiences," he said. "And you're going to learn from your failures."

Malda told of throwing himself into his childhood interest in the Internet. "I went to Hope because they had better bandwidth than I had at home," he joked.

His focus, he said, was not without cost. "I worked a lot during college," he said. "My grades definitely suffered."

In Slashdot, Malda created a venue to discuss topics he enjoyed, ranging from the open source Linux operating system, to *Star Wars* and *Star Trek*, to Legos.

"The stuff we cover is basically the stuff that I was interested in, and that is my recommendation to anybody who wants to do this," he said. "Don't do something you're not interested in."

Oostendorp agreed. "You have to do something that you care about," he said. "People can smell pandering a mile away."

"If you're doing something because you want to build a big site, people aren't going to be interested in it, they're not going to contribute to it," he said. "But if you have something that you genuinely care about and you take the time to build some good software, and you take the time to do something that people find interesting, everyone's going to want to get on it."

"That's what's so cool about it," Oostendorp said. "Is that



Nate Oostendorp '99, Rob Malda '98 and Peter Beckman '96 participate in this year's Critical Issues Symposium, discussing their experiences as Internet entrepreneurs. The symposium examined "Gold Rush and Ghost Towns: Living with the Internet," reflecting that the on-line boom of the present day and the frontier experience of the 19th century have much in common.

there are thousands of people who go on the site and who add stuff who I've never met, would never meet in real life, who can contribute to this massive body of work just because it's out there. And that's something that didn't exist 10 years ago—or not in a very accessible form—and now you find it all over the place."

It was in part the technology's newness, coupled with its already profound impact, that prompted the college to choose the Internet as the theme for this year's Critical Issues Symposium, which ran the evening of Tuesday, Oct. 3, and in place of classes all day on Wednesday, Oct. 4.

The 20-year-old Critical Issues Symposium is an annual all-campus event that examines a socially significant issue via presentations and small group discussions. Past topics have ranged from *apartheid* in South Africa, to the Middle East, to genetic engineering and research, to feminism and faith.

This year's symposium was designed to prompt reflection concerning the implications of a technology whose role is only likely to grow, according to Alfredo Gonzales, who is assistant provost at Hope and the event's long-time staff coordinator.

"One hundred years ago, the introduction of the automobile and the telephone fueled the imagination of people the world over," he said. "In the early 1900s, people had no idea just how these two devices were going to change...society."

"While we know the advantages we enjoy when using the Internet, we know less how this seemingly invisible device influences what we do, what we think and the role it has in shaping our very existence," he said. "Our imagination spins as we contemplate the impact this technology will have on our lives."

According to Gonzales, the "Gold Rush and Ghost Towns" theme reflected the sense that there were many issues common to the frontier experience of the 19th century and the online world of the nascent 21st—including the rush to development, fortunes won and lost, community formed and abandoned, exploitation, and the tension between law and freedom.

"The metaphor of the Wild West captures well the current image of the Internet," he said. "The new frontier is shaping our culture and who we are as a society."

Beckman, Malda and Oostendorp presented one of a dozen symposium events. Other topics ranged from "Music and the Internet: Napster and All That," to "Christians and the Internet: Opportunities and Concerns" (see "Quote, unquote" on page two for excerpts), to "Impact of Technology on Different Segments of the Population."

Dr. Marshall Van Alstyne, assistant professor with the School of Information at the University of Michigan, opened the symposium with the address "Internet Dreams: What's New, What's Not and What's Next." He noted that as the Internet's presence grows, individuals will be challenged to consider their participation.

"Your choices are increasingly going to be moral choices," he said. In communication, for example, he said, each will need to decide whether to be like the teenager accused of manipulating stock sales earlier this fall, or like the voice of Thomas Jefferson—with something meaningful to say.

Given the World Wide Web's unfiltered nature, Dr. Van Alstyne said, people will also need to be critical thinkers.

"Seek multiple sources for information. Be able to consider and balance different ideas from different locations," he said. "The World Wide Web is in fact the world's biggest library, but it is without the benefit of the world's least-biased librarians. Consider who it is that's offering you that information, and why it is that they're presenting it to you on your behalf."

For those with good evaluative skills—the sorts of skills taught at liberal arts schools like Hope, Dr. Van Alstyne said—the Internet also provides an opportunity to think through connections and develop new ideas.

"At the point in time when the Internet grants everyone access to information, it's not just having the information, it's what you do with it that matters," he said. "With a good liberal arts education, you'll be in a position to be confident thinkers, writers, consumers, creators of information." ✍

November Classic

The annual Nykerk Cup Competition, first held in 1936, is a fitting anchor for Parents' Weekend, showcasing the talents of hundreds of students in its traditional blend of song, oration and theatrical productions.



Nykerk moments. At top left, sophomore orator Kristin Tiscornia of Geneseo, N.Y., discusses "The Human Investment." Above, the freshman song section during the moments after the program while the judges deliberate. At left, the Cat in the Hat (Amber Beeson of Granger, Ind.) and the Grinch (Lindsay Hall of Frankfort, Ind.) in the sophomore play, "What Can I Say? There Is No Play." The sophomore Class of '03 won this year's Nykerk, the 66th, held on Saturday, Nov. 11.

Fall Sports Roundup

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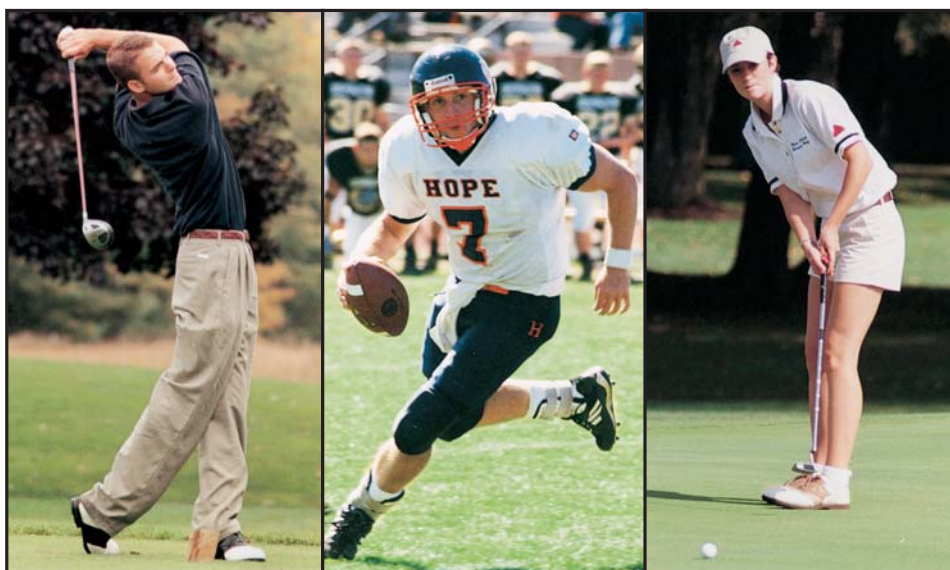
Breckenridge, Mich., senior Jennifer Ernst of Westerville, Ohio, and junior Dylan Wade of Beulah, Mich. Veldman and Wade were honored for the third year, while Ernst was named for a second time. Second team All-MIAA runners were senior Fred Herschelman of Ortonville, Ohio, freshman Donavon Hornbeck of Ovid, Mich., sophomore Kristen Post of Holland, Mich., Mich. and junior Sarah Schripsema of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Golf

The league medalist and most valuable player in both MIAA men's and women's golf came from Hope College.

Senior Aaron Vandenberg of Holland, Mich., led the Flying Dutchmen to their second consecutive conference championship, while freshman Lacey Wicksall of Traverse City, Mich., marked her collegiate debut by topping the MIAA women's player standings.

Hope placed four players on the All-MIAA men's golf teams. Joining Aaron Vandenberg on the first team were sophomore Everett Leonard of Kalamazoo, Mich., and junior Eric Wohlfield of Brighton, Mich. Wohlfield, who finished runnerup in league standings, achieved first team status for a third straight year, while Vandenberg was honored for the second time. Named to the All-MIAA second team was freshman Jeff Melville of Grandville, Mich.



Three Hope athletes proved the best at what they do gaining MIAA most valuable player distinction — senior Aaron Vandenberg in men's golf, senior J.D. Graves in football and freshman Lacey Wicksall in women's golf.

The Flying Dutch placed two players on the All-MIAA women's golf teams. Lacey Wicksall was the only first team honoree, while junior Emily Thielk of Ann Arbor, Mich., achieved second team recognition.

Soccer

The soccer teams placed seven players on the All-MIAA teams. First team hon-

orees in men's soccer were freshman midfielder Ed Huebner of Portage, Mich., sophomore back Matt Margaron of Naperville, Ill., and sophomore goalkeeper Marcus Voss of Zeeland, Mich. Junior forward Tim Keeler and junior back Jon Kucinski, both from Portage, Mich., were second team selections.

In women's soccer, junior Liz Dornbos of Vicksburg, Mich., was named to the

All-MIAA first team, while junior midfielder Emilie Dirkse of Holland, Mich., was a second team honoree.

Volleyball

The Flying Dutch topped the regular season MIAA standings, captured the championship of the conference with their third victory of the year over rival Calvin and advanced to the second round of the NCAA Division III playoffs.

Coach Maureen Dunn's Dutch posted a 31-8 record, marking the third best single season mark in school history. In four seasons under coach Dunn, the Dutch have posted an impressive 110-38 overall record, including 47-3 in conference play.

The Dutch placed four players on the All-MIAA teams. First team honorees were senior Amy Brower of Hamilton, Mich., senior Kim Grotenhuis of Hamilton, Mich., and sophomore Laura Hahnfeld of Midland, Mich., while named to the second team was senior Jennifer Gerig of Montague, Mich. Brower and Hahnfeld were also named to the All-Region Division III team by the volleyball coaches association.

Brower and Grotenhuis were also recognized for excellence in the classroom as they were named to the Verizon district academic team and became eligible for Academic All-America consideration. 🏐

Book wins national honor

A collection of poems by Dr. Susan Atefat Peckham, assistant professor of English at Hope, has been selected as winner of the prestigious National Poetry Series award.

The National Poetry Series was established in 1978 to ensure the publication of five books of poetry each year. The award includes \$1,000, publication of the book, and a book tour. Winning manuscripts are selected by means of an annual open competition, judged by five distinguished poets, each picking a book to be published by a major literary press.

Hope poet Jack Ridl said of the National Poetry Series competition, "This is definitely a major award. After the Pulitzer Prize and the National Book Award, there is a small handful of extremely prestigious awards. This is one of them."

Dr. Atefat Peckham's manuscript, *That Kind of Sleep*, was selected by two of the judges, well-known poets Victor Hernandez Cruz, choosing for the Coffee House Press, and Garrett Hongo, representing Viking/Penguin press. The selections were made from a pool of 1,500 manuscripts submitted by established and emerging American poets.

Dr. Atefat Peckham's book will be published by the Coffee House Press in the summer or fall of 2001. Of it,

Cruz wrote "*That Kind of Sleep* is a pendulum between cultures and I might add epochs. Reading these Islamic Persian influenced poems, one disappears through so many columns of history, as the poet intermingles the places, the references. There are poems about becoming a woman, and poems about death that are full of so much sense of life. From America and from an interior of incense, this poet gives us a joy of flashes which makes us all ancient and renewed in a paradise of language, dancing in spirals, whirling, whirling."

Dr. Susan Atefat Peckham was born first-generation American to Iranian parents, and has lived most of her life in France and Switzerland, although she has also lived in the United States and Iran.

She earned her bachelor of science degree from Baylor University in pre-med biology and chemistry in 1991, master of arts in English from Baylor in 1994, and doctorate in English from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 1999. In addition to poetry, she writes creative nonfiction and is a musician and an abstract expressionist painter.

Her nonfiction manuscript, *Black Eyed Bird*, finished in the final rounds of judging for the Associated Writing Programs Intro Award, also in 2000. Her work has been selected for inclusion in an anthology, *In the Field of Words* (Prentice-Hall, 2001), and new work has appeared or is forthcoming in *Borderlands*, *Texas Poetry Review*, *The International Poetry Review*, *International Quarterly*, *The Literary Review*, *The MacGuffin*, *Northwest Review*, *Onthebus*, *Prairie Schooner*, *Puerto Del Sol*, *The Southern Poetry Review*, *The Sycamore Review* and *The Texas Review*. ✍



Dr. Susan Atefat Peckham of the English faculty has received a National Poetry Series award for her manuscript *That Kind of Sleep*.

Physicist named outstanding mentor

Dr. Paul DeYoung '77 of the Hope physics faculty has received top recognition from the American Physical Society (APS) for 2001 for outstanding research and mentoring as a physicist at an undergraduate institution.

One of Dr. DeYoung's colleagues describes the award as the highest recognition available to a physicist at an undergraduate school.

"Each year, this award recognizes that person doing premier research at an undergraduate institution," said Dr. John Krupczak, who is a member of the college's physics and engineering faculty and was one of several colleagues from Hope and elsewhere who nominated Dr. DeYoung for the honor. "The award further recognizes that the recipient is doing quality research in a way that benefits undergraduate students."

The award, the "Prize to a Faculty Member for Research in an Undergraduate Institution," was established in 1984 by a



Dr. Paul DeYoung '77

grant from the Research Corporation. The award citation recognizes Dr. DeYoung's "research on reaction processes using short-lived nuclear beams and for his outstanding leadership, both in his research group and his institution, in creating an undergraduate research community."

Given the college's focus on undergraduate research, Dr. DeYoung noted that he believes that any number of his colleagues are equally deserving of the recognition. "I happened to win the award, but I think we

could have made a case for many others who are doing outstanding research in physics," he said. "This is what Hope College is about."

"And if others before us had not done the work that they did, and if the college and others had not supported our research approach, our work would not be possible," he said. "I think this is the culmination of a long tradition and an endorsement of what we plan to do in the future."

A member of the Hope faculty since 1985, Dr. DeYoung conducts research in nuclear physics. His work of the past three years has involved studying the way that the neutron "skin" of the "helium 6" isotope affects fusion. His research group collects data at the National Superconducting Cyclotron Laboratory at Michigan State University, at the University of Notre Dame in Indiana and at Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory in California, and then analyzes the information back at Hope.

He values that students are doing the work.

"What we do that's unique is that the undergraduates are doing this," he said. "At Hope College, undergraduate research means cutting-edge science, and I think that to some extent this award recognizes the validity of the science that we do."

Dr. DeYoung estimates that some 35 Hope students have worked with him on research projects through the years. They

have gone on to careers in a variety of scientific areas. Former students are now researchers, college and university teachers, doctors, engineers and high school teachers, and several are employed at high-tech companies.

Dr. DeYoung graduated from Hope *summa cum laude* in 1977. He completed his doctorate at the University of Notre Dame in 1982, and subsequently conducted research at the Nuclear Structure Laboratory, SUNY, before returning to Hope to teach.

His research has received continuous support since 1985 from agencies including the National Science Foundation, Research Corporation and the Michigan Space Grant Consortium. His work has resulted in more than 50 journal articles and more than 50 presentations at professional conferences.

The APS, which celebrated its 100th anniversary in 1999, has more than 40,000 members. The society's activities include programs in physics education and outreach; several regional, divisional and national meetings yearly; and publishing physics research journals, in addition to recognizing professional accomplishment through prizes and awards.

Dr. DeYoung will be recognized formally during the society's annual meeting, which will be held on Saturday-Tuesday, April 28-May 1, in Washington, D.C. ✍

Campaign will be far-reaching

Legacies: A Vision of Hope will have a far-reaching impact, providing support campus-wide for immediate and future needs.

The \$85 million campaign's three primary emphases—construction of a new science center which will include expanding and renovating the existing Peale Science Center, increasing the endowment, and enhancing and expanding several other facilities—will affect every department and every student.

The Board of Trustees announced the campaign during its annual fall meeting, held on campus on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 5–6. As of the public announcement, some \$54,431,941, or 64 percent, of the campaign's goal had been raised, according to national chairs Peter Cook, Peter Huizenga '60 and Philip Miller '65. Cook, Huizenga and Miller are also members of Hope's Board of Trustees.

The science center will double the current building, expanded to the west to include new classrooms, laboratories, and office and storage space. Peale Science Center, which is more than 25 years old, will be updated to better meet contemporary teaching and research needs.

The expanded building will continue to house the departments of biology, chemistry, biochemistry, the geological and environmental sciences, and psychology, with the department of nursing moving in from its cottage headquarters on 14th Street. The design will complement the college's on-going emphasis on collaborative student-faculty research as a teaching model, with the addition of interdisciplinary classroom space reflecting the way that the boundaries between disciplines continue to blur.

The project will total \$36 million.

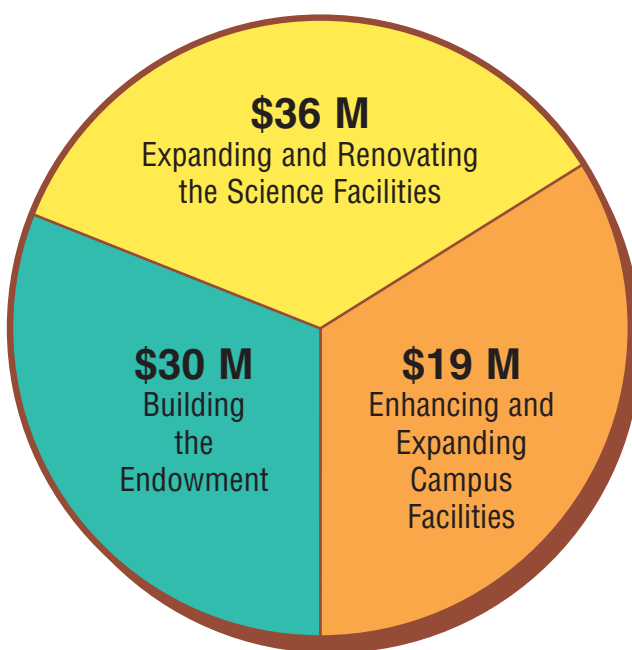
Endowment provides on-going support for every dimension of the college, and Hope's endowment must grow if the college is to continue to serve its students well.

Currently, Hope's endowment ranks in the bottom half of the college's peer-school group. As two examples, while Hope had an endowment of \$37,619 per student during 1999–2000, Kalamazoo College had \$76,950 per student and Albion College had \$97,800 per student.

Goals for additional endowment include scholarships; faculty research funds and chairs; support for the academic program, internships and the student development



A conceptual view of the new science center, looking north. The current Peale Science Center forms the right side of the building. The science center renovation and expansion comprises \$36 million of the \$85 campaign.



program; and funds for equipment needs and library resources. The \$30 million sought through *Legacies: A Vision of Hope* should generate more than \$2 million annually.

Although the Peale Science Center expansion is the largest single project of the campaign, it is only one of several.

The new Martha Miller Center will house the departments of dance, communication, and modern and classical languages, all of which have outgrown their current homes in the Dow Center, Lubbers Hall and Graves Hall respec-

tively. Dow, Lubbers and Graves, in turn, will all be renovated to better serve both the departments and programs that will remain within them and the college generally. Dimnent Memorial Chapel will be restored and renovated to support its continued intense use not only as a place of worship, but as a classroom building and as a hall for lectures, concerts and other college gatherings.

In addition, the college will seek to acquire neighboring property for both green space and potential further development.

The renovation and land acquisition are expected to total \$19 million.

The campaign's priorities developed through the *A Vision of Hope* planning process initiated in 1996, during the presidency of Dr. John H. Jacobson. All members of the Hope constituency were invited to contribute their thoughts via mail or e-mail concerning the college's future, with follow-up meetings held on campus to shape the college's needs and the visioning suggestions into a plan for action.

Legacies: A Vision of Hope will help build a stronger Hope College tomorrow, but it is for the Hope College of today as well. As contributions arrive, they are put to work immediately, helping students and building programs. In addition to the renovation of Dimnent Memorial Chapel, projects thus far include the addition of studio space and a studio organ to the Nykerk Hall of Music, completed this summer, and ongoing exterior work on Graves Hall. The campaign has also already added three endowed faculty chairs and 41 endowed scholarship funds. ➤

An opportunity to shape the future



President James Bultman '63 is passionate about Hope and the impact that the Legacies campaign will have on the college's future.

Hope exists and thrives today because of those who have supported the college in the past.

Such is the premise of the *Legacies: A Vision of Hope* campaign: that Hope College is a legacy left to students by the generations that have preceded them, and that Hope will continue to make a meaningful difference in the lives of young people only if others make the same commitment now.

With its broad emphasis on facilities and endowment alike, and given the short- and long-term needs in each, the *Legacies* campaign provides a timely chance to do so.

"We have an opportunity to participate in something very significant in the life of Hope College," said President James Bultman '63. "*Legacies: A Vision of Hope*

will positively impact every area of our campus community, both now and in the future."

President Bultman's goal is to help a very good Hope College become not only better, but the best: the Trustees desire Hope to be one of the nation's leading Christian liberal arts colleges. The potential, President Bultman believes, already exists.

"Number one, you need to have outstanding people. Hope College has exceptional people," he said. "Our Board of Trustees provides outstanding leadership. We have a very supportive and caring constituency. We have an absolutely superb faculty. We have dedicated staff members. And we have very diligent students."

"To be exceptional, you also have to have outstanding programs," President Bultman said. "And Hope has them, both on this campus and off, in a variety of settings that challenge each one of our students."

(See "*Shape the Future*" on page 10.)

Chairs value Hope's human impact

The co-chairs of the *Legacies* campaign have each experienced Hope from multiple perspectives.

Peter Cook of Grand Rapids, Mich., Peter Huizenga '60 of Oak Brook, Ill., and Phil Miller '65 of Holland, Mich., are the campaign's three chairs. All three are trustees, all three have been or are parents of Hope students, one was a Hope grandparent, two are alumni (one was a generational student) and one is the spouse of a Hope faculty member.

The result of their many experiences is a shared vision: of the important difference that Hope College does make, of the important difference that an even stronger Hope College could make, and of the important difference that Hope's new capital campaign will make.

All long-time Hope enthusiasts, they also know that they are not the only ones who feel that way.

"We are here at Hope College because we believe that we have a society that is in need of leaders that reflect both academic excellence and the Christian value system," Miller said. "And I believe that that's why our constituents have already given almost \$55 million to this campaign. It's because they share that vision for our students, and value the fact that we are developing tomorrow's leaders, and understand that the best leaders do not come inexpensively."

It's the human impact at the end of the dollar goals and the projects that have the three chairs behind the campaign, and have them confident that others will be, too.

"This campaign isn't primarily about facilities, or classrooms or laboratories. It's about people," Cook said. "It's about the superb job that Hope College and its faculty and staff do in developing leaders for tomorrow's society."

Huizenga cited the \$30 million endowment goal as an example.

"If you're asking for money for endowment, that alone isn't very exciting," he said. "But if you put it in the context of, 'Would you like to help endow a chair for a professor, or to assist in paying expenses for a department?,' or, 'Would you like to provide scholarships for students?'—and

maybe for students in a given area of study or from a specific geographic area—that has a specific interest for people."

And although the campaign is ambitious in its \$85 million goal, the campaign's chairs note that it is not extravagant—nor unrealistic.

"I think we're challenging our constituency and friends of Hope in the largest dollar amount we've ever requested, but I think we can make that goal; it's very achievable," Huizenga said.

Huizenga also noted that the campaign won't be addressing every need at Hope for all time. As an example, he cited improving Hope's sports facilities as already having been identified as a project for a future effort. "So we still have a pocketful of needs and desires, but this is going to bring us a long way," he said.

Cook is chairman of Cook Holdings. He was chairman of the board and majority owner of Transnational Motors from 1977 until selling the company earlier this year. He was president of Import Motors Limited Inc. from 1954 until selling the business in 1980.

He serves on several boards, including of the Blodgett-Butterworth Foundation, the Porter Hills Foundation, Gospel Communications and the Van Andel Institute. He is a Greater Consistory Member of the Grace Reformed Church, and has served on the Finance Committee of the Reformed Church in America.

Cook was a member of Hope's Board of Trustees from 1977 until 1989, when he was named an honorary trustee. Cook Hall residence hall, dedicated in 1997, was named in honor of him and his wife Emajean (Pat) Cook in recognition of their long-time support of Hope and a major gift for the building project.

He and Pat have two sons, Thomas Cook '67 and Stephen Cook. Their grandson Ryan Cook '96 led the successful effort to restore the college's chapel chimes to working order in 1996.

Huizenga is chairman of Huizenga Capital Management. From 1968 to 1997 he was a member of the Board of Directors of Waste Management Inc., serving as secretary from 1968 to 1989 and vice president from 1974 to 1989. He also currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Milwaukee



The campaign's three co-chairs have all encountered Hope from multiple perspectives—a breadth and depth of experience that has convinced each that a Hope education makes a real difference for the better. From left to right are Phil Miller '65, Peter Cook and Peter Huizenga '60.

Mutual Insurance Company.

He is on several boards, including for Chicago Metro Youth for Christ, the Big Shoulders Fund, the East West Corporate Corridor Association and the Executives Breakfast Club of Oak Brook. He is a member of Christ Church of Oak Brook, and president of the Foundation Board of Timothy Christian Schools.

He was on the college's Alumni Association Board of Directors from 1977 to 1980, and has been on the college's Board of Trustees since 1982. His support of Hope through the years has included funding the statue of the Rev. A.C. Van Raalte that Hope had created for Centennial Park for the city's 150th anniversary celebration in 1997, and funding—with his mother Elizabeth—the college's A.C. Van Raalte Institute in 1994.

Huizenga and his wife Heidi have four children: Betsy Bradley, Greta Huizenga '93 Giesen, P.J. Huizenga '98 and Timothy Huizenga '02.

Miller is executive vice president of Howard Miller Clock Company of Zeeland, Mich. He grew up in the business, which his

father had founded, and joined the company full-time upon completing his education.

He is a member of Christ Memorial Church, where he is past vice president of the Governing Board, and is a past member of the Board of Directors of Bethany Christian Services.

He has been a member of the college's Board of Trustees since 1988. He served as co-chair of the college's previous capital campaign, *Hope in the Future*, which concluded in 1994.

His mother was Martha Muller '24 Miller, who in the weeks before her death was arranging to give the college funds for the Martha Miller Center. He and his siblings—Connie Miller '58 Johnston and Jack Miller '54—carried through their mother's wish, and the building is a part of the *Legacies* campaign.

Miller's wife, Dr. Nancy Sonneveldt '62 Miller, is dean for the social sciences and a professor of education at Hope. They have three children: Christopher, Derek Miller '95 and Mindy Miller '97. ✍

Shape the future

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The *Legacies* campaign will significantly alter the campus landscape, particularly through the construction of the Martha Miller Center and the new science center. For President Bultman, though, the value is not in what will be seen, but in what it will mean. *Legacies: A Vision of Hope* will help provide the people and programs of Hope with the resources they need to be even better.

"I'm very passionate about Hope, and I'm very excited about the campaign—not so much because of the opportunity to build

buildings, but because of the opportunity to provide facilities that will enable students and faculty to perform at the very highest levels," he said.

Similarly, he noted, the endowment resources sought will provide significant, on-going support for the work of students and faculty. Such support will offset the need for greater tuition increases; moreover, the scholarships being endowed will help make Hope more affordable to students whose ability to pay is limited.

Combine the excellence that already exists at Hope with the excellence that *Legacies: A Vision of Hope* will foster, and the result, President Bultman believes, will be a college that stands out among the nation's 1,100-plus undergraduate schools.

"Hope has the ability to be a player nationally on the academic dimension with contributions to the body of knowledge in different fields—I think we have the experience in our faculty to do that," he said. "We also have the resolve and the conviction to

simultaneously maintain a vibrant Christian dimension on campus—ecumenical in nature while rooted in the Reformed faith."

"There just aren't many other colleges doing this," President Bultman said. "There are institutions that are very strong in one dimension or the other, but Hope is unique in exceptionally combining both."

"*Legacies: A Vision of Hope* will help assure that Hope will continue to combine both well—and will enable Hope to do so even more effectively," he said. ✍

A tale of two buildings

At the beginning of the 1970s, the college was at a crossroads.

The program in the sciences was highly regarded, but had greatly outgrown its space in Lubbers Hall. The building, designed three decades earlier, didn't meet modern needs. With the college having grown dramatically in the years since, it wouldn't even have been adequate for the demands placed on it had technology and Hope's way of teaching remained constant.

Something had to be done, something major, or Hope's quality would suffer. That something was this: the Peale Science Center opened in 1973, succeeding Lubbers Hall, completed in 1942.

Three more decades have passed. As Lubbers was then, Peale is now. And Hope, again, is at a crossroads. The student body has grown by nearly 50 percent, scientific knowledge and pedagogy have changed multifold, and something needs to be done.

"The advancement of science in the new directions that it has gone has increased so dramatically over the last 25 years, and the way in which we teach science has changed so dynamically over that same period of time, that our science building is unfortunately inadequate in size to house the number of faculty and number of students we serve," said Dr. James Gentile, who is dean for the natural sciences and the Kenneth G. Herrick Professor of Biology at Hope.

By any number of measures, Hope is at or near the top nationally in science among the country's 1,100-1,200 liberal arts institutions. In 1998, for example, Hope was one of only 10 liberal arts institutions nationwide to be recognized for innovation and excellence in science instruction by the National Science Foundation (NSF)



The renovated and expanded science center will update a facility that has served well but is in need of a major update. This view looks southeast across Van Andel Plaza from Graves Place (11th Street) near Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church.



A spacious multi-story atrium will offer tables for studying or gathering.

with an "Award for Integration of Research and Education." Hope held more NSF "Research Experiences for Undergraduates" grants (five) this summer than any other liberal arts college in the country. A report from the NSF placed Hope in the top 25 nationally among baccalaureate colleges as a source of future Ph.D. recipients in the natural, physical and social sciences, and engineering—including third nationally in chemistry.

Dr. Gentile, noted, however, that the programs are at risk, all the more since other schools haven't been idle in the years since Peale was built.

"There's been a tremendous investment nationally in science buildings, and those institutions are gaining ground on us rapidly because they have the infrastructure to build upon," Dr. Gentile said.

In the near future, independent of any expansion, Peale will require major work to its air exchange, plumbing and electrical systems. Hope hopes to complete the renovation and expansion simultaneously, however, since it would be more economical to pursue the projects as a package.

The design will complement the college's on-going emphasis on collaborative student-faculty research as a teaching model, with the addition of interdisciplinary classroom space reflecting the way that the boundaries between disciplines continue to blur.

"Our facilities now limit our ability to expand, or even maintain, programs of innovative science instruction and research methods."

— President James E. Bultman '63

The \$36 million science center project will double the current building, expanded to the west to include new classrooms, laboratories, and office and storage space.

The expanded building will continue to house the departments of biology, chemistry, biochemistry, the geological and environmental sciences, and psychology, with the department of nursing moving in from its cottage headquarters on 14th Street. The design will complement the college's on-going emphasis on collaborative student-faculty research as a teaching model, with the addition of interdisciplinary classroom space reflecting the way that the boundaries between disciplines continue to blur.

The \$36 million price tag may sound steep to a personal-income sensibility, but Dr. Gentile notes that the result will be "nowhere, nowhere near extravagant."

What the building does include, he notes, is a 10 percent buffer for growth—not in anticipation of an additional 300 students at Hope, but with the expectation that the coming decades will also see major changes in science and teaching.

"If enrollment remains constant, that will extend the lifetime of this building significantly," he said. "I would hope this lasts us a good 30 to 40 years." ✍

Legacies: A Vision of Hope



Hope stems from generosity

Without having received major support at key moments in history, Hope College would not exist.

The college's oldest structure, older than Hope itself, provides an enduring and dramatic example. Van Vleck Hall, built in 1857, happened because donors in the East responded to the Rev. Albertus C. Van Raalte's personal pleas for funding. The thousands he obtained for the structure were built on an average amount per gift of \$9.36.

The tradition continued in the decades that followed. Professor (later President) Gerrit Kollen led the fund-raising effort that resulted in Graves Hall, dedicated in 1894. The building's donors included an aged Nathan Graves, who had also contributed to Van Vleck Hall.

Fund-raising is an on-going process at Hope. Each year, every year, the generous support of individuals and organizations makes it possible for the college not only to continue, but to excel.

Periodically, however, larger-scale efforts are needed. In the last four decades, such fund-raising campaigns have had a major impact on Hope. Most visible in the way that they have shaped the college's physical plant, they have been no less significant for their impact on the programs at Hope.

Looking Ahead with Hope, formally launched late in 1959 with a \$3 million goal under President Irwin J. Lubbers '17, raised funds for the construction of Van



The very campus itself has grown through donors' generosity during fund-raising campaigns. Only some of the resulting familiar landmarks are shown here, but all are enduring monuments to those who gave their resources to help future generations learn at Hope. And the buildings are only the most visible manifestation of such support. At center is Van Vleck Hall; clockwise from top left are Graves Hall, Van Zoeren and VanderWerf Halls, the DeWitt Center, Cook Hall, the Van Wylen Library and the Dow Center.

Zoeren Library, VanderWerf Hall, Nykerk Hall of Music and several residence halls. The campaign's other foci included additional endowment for faculty salaries.

Not a capital campaign in the same sense as its colleagues, the *Centennial Decade Master Plan*, introduced in conjunction with the college's 100th birthday in 1966, developed an outline for the campus's growth through 1976. The *Master Plan*, initiated under President Calvin A. VanderWerf '37, realized the

construction of the DeWitt Student and Cultural Center, and the start of funding for the Peale Science Center, the Wynand Wichers Addition to Nykerk Hall of Music and two residence halls.

Build Hope, which went public in October of 1972, was an \$8.5 million campaign that helped bring the college the Peale Science Center and the Dow Center, and enabled Hope to transform Lubbers Hall from a science building to a center for the humanities and social sciences. Also

among the goals was obtaining endowment for scholarships, faculty development and faculty salaries.

Dr. Gordon J. Van Wylen was inaugurated as college president shortly before the public announcement of the *Build Hope* campaign. That made the timing of the next campaign especially appropriate, since he closed his 15-year presidency with the conclusion of the *Campaign for Hope* in 1987.

Launched in January of 1985, the \$26 million campaign brought the college the Van Wylen Library, the Maas Conference Center and the Admissions House. The *Campaign for Hope* also provided additional funds for student financial aid, operation of the new library, and the purchase and maintenance of up-to-date instructional equipment.

The college's most recent campaign, *Hope in the Future*, was conducted during the presidency of Dr. John H. Jacobson. Launched in January of 1992 with a \$50 million goal, the campaign concluded on June 30, 1994, having raised \$58.1 million. The campaign had four emphases—enhancing the academic program, strengthening Christian life and witness, strengthening student financial aid and selectively improving facilities—and resulted in buildings such as the Haworth Inn and Conference Center, Cook Hall, the DeWitt Tennis Center and the Lugers Fieldhouse; the A.C. Van Raalte Institute and new laboratories in the Peale Science Center; additional resources for the Campus Ministries program; and three faculty chairs and 88 endowed scholarships. ✍



Class Notes

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All submissions received by the Public Relations Office by Tuesday, Nov. 7, have been included in this issue. Because of the lead time required by this publication's production schedule, submissions received after that date (with the exception of obituary notices) have been held for the next issue, the deadline for which is Tuesday, Jan. 9.

A number of the entries in this issue for the Classes of '89, '94 and '00 have been gleaned from the 1999-2000 *Annual Report* published by the college's department of chemistry. *news from Hope College* periodically borrows from such departmental newsletters so that the information can be enjoyed by as broad an audience as possible.

1940s

John H. Muller '42 has received a contract for one year as interim pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Buchanan, Mich., just west of Niles.

James Bos '46 and **Genevieve Duiser '49 Bos** of Muskegon, Mich., are the grandparents of one of Hope's third generation new students: Richard Van Voorst '04 of Holland, Mich. Richard, who was not included in the listing published in the October issue of *news from Hope College*, is the son of Mary Bos '73 Van Voorst and Robert Van Voorst '74 of Holland, Mich.

Tom Van Dahm '48 of Kenosha, Wis., has had two articles published in *The Church Herald* recently: "The Stewardship of What We Keep" (November, 1999) and "Making the Switch" (September, 2000). In addition, "Is It OK for a Christian to Be Rich?" was published in the August-September, 2000, issue of *Perspectives: A Magazine of Reformed Thought*.

1950s

Robert P. Hartley '51 and 14 other adventurous bicyclists recently completed a unique 550-mile "Greco-Roman Odyssey" throughout ancient Greece and Italy. The bicycling "Odyssey" included the study of colorful archaeological, historical and biblical sites. When not cycling in Europe or the United States, he actively performs as a trombonist in various musical organizations in New Mexico and Texas.

Carol Crist '52 Fern of Fenton, Mich., performed a solo piano recital at Freedom Village in

Tour of Britain planned

The British Isles and their journey from ancient to modern will be featured in this year's alumni tour.

The tour, which will begin in Ireland and conclude in London, will run Wednesday, June 6, through Thursday, June 21. Sites spanning nearly 2,000 years of history will be surveyed, from the Roman-built ramparts of York, to a sixth century Christian settlement in Ireland, to Windsor Castle and the university town of Cambridge.

The tour's faculty host will be Dr. William Reynolds, who is dean for the arts and humanities and a professor of English at Hope. A specialist in medieval English literature who has travel experience that includes two sabbatical leaves at Cambridge in the 1980s and a trip to both Ireland and England last summer, he has visited all of the sites on the English itinerary and many of those in Ireland. Long-time MTA tour guide Louke Meulman and local guides will round out the trip's leadership.

While the trip will feature national character and sites well familiar to an American audience—ranging from the pastoral Ireland popularized in the classic film *The Quiet Man* with John Wayne and Maureen O'Hara, to the white cliffs of Dover, Big Ben and the Tower of London—the tour will also encounter the Ireland and England of today. Dr. Reynolds believes that the blend of historical origin and modern existence, and the journey from the former to the latter, make for an intriguing tour topic.

"Both of these countries are very contemporary, modern, post-industrial countries with a sense of history that goes back in some cases 2,000 years or more,"

Holland, Mich., on Thursday, May 25, 2000, which included compositions by Schumann, Rachmaninoff, Mompou, Scriabin and Prokofieff. On Oct. 10, 2000, she and soprano Moira O'Brien



This year's alumni tour will feature multiple sites in the British Isles, focusing on Ireland and the London area. Pictured is Windsor Castle.

he said. "It's that kind of mix that for me makes it very rich."

After departing the U.S. on June 6, the tour will arrive in Ireland's Shannon Airport on June 7. The trip will open with Bunratty Castle, with stops following in Limerick and Killarney. The following days will feature the scenery of the Dingle Peninsula, Blarney Castle of "Blarney Stone" fame, the Waterford Crystal factory, and a tour of Dublin.

From Ireland, the tour will continue by ferry to Hollyhead in Wales. The tour will continue with a visit to the medieval-era timber-framed houses and shops of Chester, historic York and Cambridge. The tour's final days will be spent in the London area, including trips to Windsor Castle, the white cliffs of Dover and Leeds Castle, and a sightseeing tour of the city itself.

The itinerary presents a mix of structured activity and individual leisure time. Given the variety offered by many of the

sites, Dr. Reynolds believes that the blend will work well.

"I like the amount of free time that has been built in," he said. "I think that everybody can use that opportunity—either to rest or to build activity into the tour to make it even more meaningful to them personally."

This year's alumni tour is part of a series of annual tours organized for members of the extended Hope family by MTA TRAVEL in Holland, Mich.

The spring, 2000, tour featured Germany, Switzerland, Liechtenstein and the Netherlands. Previous excursions have included Spain, Morocco and Portugal; Denmark, Norway and Sweden; Italy; Scandinavia; Costa Rica; Greece and Turkey; and Vienna, Austria. The tour featured Scotland, Wales and England in 1993.

Additional information concerning this year's itinerary and tour costs may be obtained by calling 1-800-682-0086. ✉

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presented a program for the Grand Haven Tuesday Musicales on Clara and Robert Schumann called "Life, Love and Song."

LeRoy Wm Nattress Jr. '54 facilitated a conference sponsored by Global Good Services Inc., on Friday-Saturday, Aug. 25-26, 2000, in Albuquerque, N.M., at which a revitalization program for native communities in the United States was introduced. The program, which addresses the education, economic and health needs of communities located on tribal lands, is referred to as the Viable Village initiative. Representatives of seven Native American tribes attended the conference.

Barbara van Putten '57 of Reading, Calif., was inducted into the Humboldt State University Athletics Hall of Fame on Saturday, Oct. 14, 2000, for helping "shape the legacy of Lumberjack sports." From 1962 to 1973, she developed the HSU softball program, taking it from club to intercollegiate status. She founded the university's volleyball program in 1962, serving as head coach until 1982. In 1966, she was one of two California college coaches chosen to train the U.S. Olympic volleyball team. She retired as chair of the university's department of Health and Physical Education in 1992.

John Meyer '59 of Douglaston, N.Y., recently retired after 28 years as pastor of The Community Church of Douglaston. He had previously served College Point Reformed, and Berne and

Beaverdam Reformed prior to that. His tenure at Douglaston was celebrated with a festival service and banquet on Sunday, Sept. 24.

1960s

Douglas Neckers '60 of Perrysburg, Ohio, was honored in Moscow, Russia, on Wednesday, Oct. 11, 2000, for his work in chemical education. He was presented an honorary professorship in the UNESCO Associated Center of Chemical Science and Education at the Mendeleyev University of Chemical Technology of Russia, and was recognized for his contributions to the development of U.S.-Russian cooperation in university-level chemical education. He is executive director of the Center for Photochemical Sciences at Bowling Green State University.

Daryl Siedentop '60 of Westerville, Ohio, has been chosen to lead the new P-12 (pre-school through 12th grade) Project at The Ohio State University. The goal of the program is to use the university's research and service capacities to help improve Ohio's public schools, particularly the education of children and youths in high-poverty areas. He has been at the university since 1970, serving as a professor of sport and exercise science since 1976. He has also been senior associate dean for faculty, research and international affairs, and in June of 1998 was

appointed interim dean of the College of Education.

Mary Wiersema '61 Vermeulen of Staunton, Va., retired in July of 1999 as a counselor and professor. She received an outstanding faculty award in 1999 from the Black Hawk College faculty.

Steve Howlett '63 of London, Ontario, Canada, is self-employed as a clinical psychologist.

Gerrit Wolf '63 has accepted the largest Fulbright Fellowship in Europe. Sponsored by IBM Sweden, Ericsson, Telia and Brainheart Venture Capital, the Chair in Wireless E-Commerce is located at the Stockholm School of Economics and the Royal Institute of Technology. The chair involves research with faculty and the business community, and teaching students about entrepreneurship. He writes that "Stockholm is now the Silicon Valley of Europe and years ahead of the U.S. in the wireless internet." After the fellowship, he will return to the position of professor of management and psychology at SUNY-Stony Brook.

Paul Wackerbarth '64 of Falls Church, Va., spoke at Hope College through the History Colloquium Series on Tuesday, Sept. 19, 2000. He presented "Reflections on Poland 1989."

Graham Duryee '66 of Holland, Mich., is vice president of sales-Lakeshore for Greenridge Realty.

Roger Kroodsmma '66 of Oak Ridge, Tenn., this year repeated as national masters champion in the USA Track & Field men's pentathlon (long jump, javelin throw, 200-meter dash, discus throw and 1,500-meter run). His age-graded score of 3,985 was tops among 64 men over 30 years of age who competed in the pentathlon, which was part of the USATF national masters championship meet in Eugene, Ore., on Thursday, Aug. 10, 2000.

Robert Donia '67 of La Jolla, Calif., spoke at Hope College through the History Colloquium Series on Monday, Nov. 13, 2000. He presented "Ethnic Identity in the Former Yugoslavia."

Wesley Granberg-Michaelson '67 of Oakland, N.J., who is general secretary of the Reformed Church in America, attended the White House's annual autumn prayer breakfast on behalf of the RCA. It was the first invitation for the RCA in the eight years that the prayer breakfast has been held. The conference members discussed global poverty and debt relief with President Clinton.

Fran Gralow '68 is working with Wycliffe Bible Translators in Kenya. She will soon take a new assignment in Kitale, Kenya, about 200 miles northwest of Nairobi, working with Sudanese refugees who are translating the Old and New Testaments into their native language.

Hudson Soo '68 of Hong Kong, China, presented a paper titled "School-based Management - Devolution of Authority, An Experience of a School Sponsoring Body in Hong Kong" at the Forum on Secondary School Education in the 21st Century in the Affiliated High School of Peking University, Beijing, China.

1970s

Daniel Stoecker '70 of Detroit, Mich., was appointed a commissioner to the 212th General Assembly 2000 (Presbyterian Church USA). He was randomly selected to the Physical and Spiritual Well-Being Committee dealing with disabilities, AIDS Care Teams, children's health and same-sex commitment services.

William Van Faasen '70 of Manchester, Mass., received the "New Englander of the Year Award" from the New England Council during the council's 75th anniversary celebration on Thursday, Sept. 28, 2000. The council presents the award each year to individuals and organizations that demonstrate an outstanding commitment to enhancing the development of the new England economy and promoting a high quality of life in the region. He is president and CEO of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Massachusetts. He and U.S. Secretary of Defense William S. Cohen each received one of the awards during the evening.

Mary Bos '73 Van Voorst and **Robert Van Voorst '74** of Holland, Mich., are the parents of one of Hope's third generation new students: Richard Van Voorst '04. Richard, who was not included in the listing published in the October issue of *news from Hope College*, is the grandson of James Bos '46 and Genevieve Duiser '49 Bos of Muskegon, Mich.

Rich "Blue" Williams '75 of Albuquerque, N.M., has been elected to a second term as president of the New Mexico Route 66 Association. Under his leadership, historic Route 66 has been named a National Scenic Byway through the Federal Highway Department and a Community Millennium Trail designated by the White House. He has been owner of Tierra Madre Non-Profit Consultants since 1994, specializing in commercial district revitalization of traditional and historic communities.

Lynn Malvitz '76 Khadija of Haslett, Mich., is a history teacher at Lansing Eastern High School and teaches AP European history. She has also taught for seven years at Baker College in Owosso, and has two of her children at Hope. Previously she published "Designs on Painted Ayyubid/Mamluk Pottery from Rujm El-Kursi, 1990 Season" in the *Annual of the Department of Antiquities* (Jordan).

Carol Nykerk '76 of Lake Oswego, Ore., has been promoted to program manager for the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office. She is responsible for all of the inmate programming for five jail facilities, for more than 2,000 inmates. She also supervises all of the community release programs, chaplains, A/D and mental health staff. She has been with the sheriff's office since May of 1994.

Eugene T. Sutton '76 has joined the staff of Washington National Cathedral as director of the Cathedral Center for Prayer and Pilgrimage.

Mike Bayus '77 of Spring Hill, Fla., is organist and music director of St. Andrews Episcopal Church.

Conley Zomermaand '77 has left his position as senior pastor of First Reformed Church in Pella, Iowa, and will be visiting assistant professor of philosophy and religion at Central College in Pella during the spring, 2001, semester.

Sharon Adcock '78 of Manhattan Beach, Calif., attended the BAFTA LA Britannia Awards, during which Prince Andrew presented Steven Spielberg the Stanley Kubrick Award for Excellence in Film.

Laurie Selwyn '79 of San Antonio, Texas, is a branch manager with the San Antonio Public Library.

1980s

Rod Bolhous '80 of Grand Rapids, Mich., is president of Gill Industries Inc., which was founded in 1964 and makes automobile parts.

Judith Cook '80 Vander Zwaag of Holland, Mich., is a job coach for special education students at Holland Christian High School.

Susan Markusse '81 Peterson is principal of Weslaco East High School in Weslaco, Texas.

Carl Schwedler '81 of Davis, Calif., and his wife had a daughter in February (please see "Births"), joining sisters Lena Catherine (age 14), Grace Elizabeth (age eight) and Catherine Anne (age four).

Derk-Michel Strauch '81 of Hamden, Conn., is a foreign language teacher at Cooperative Arts and Humanities Magnet School in New Haven, Conn.

Scot VanDerMeulen '81 of Holland, Mich., has become a partner in Driesenga & Associates Inc. He is a senior project manager in the firm's municipal engineering group.

Jeffrey L. Ver Beek '81 of Grosse Pointe Park, Mich., was married in June (please see "Marriages"), having become "reacquainted" with his wife at their 20-year high school class reunion. He is an attorney with Hirt, MacArthur and Ruggirello PC and an elder at the Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, and still enjoys playing in a Detroit-area rock and roll band, "Little Fish" (which he notes that his wife has, to date, resisted joining).

Lisa Roth '82 Slaton of Tallahassee, Fla., is office manager with Gallery Graphics.

Steven Geurink '83 of Zeeland, Mich., is a ministry service projects coordinator with Worldwide Christian Schools. He will help construct buildings for Christian schools for many countries around the globe this year using mission teams.

Tom TenHoeve '83 recently became associate dean for student affairs in the College of Pharmacy at the University of Illinois at Chicago. Tom, his wife Linda Miller '83 TenHoeve and their two daughters relocated from Ames, Iowa, to Naperville, Ill., in June.

Kimberly Bailey '84 Hartstein received her teacher certification through Wayland Baptist University in Wayland, Texas. She moved back to Michigan last November and substitute taught. She is now with the Eau Claire Public Schools, teaching 10th grade English and 10th-12th grade journalism.

Dave Metzger '85 of Naperville, Ill., a composer, is leading the new internet division of Catfish Music, which sells custom music for Web pages.

Cheryl Spaeth '86 Gabriel of Grandville, Mich., works part-time in a pension consulting firm, and sits on the exam committee of a national

Faculty Positions Available

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The college is seeking candidates for faculty positions available during the 2001-02 academic year. Consideration of candidates is underway unless otherwise specified, and will continue until the positions are filled. Additional information concerning the character of each position may be obtained through the college's World Wide Web home page at www.hope.edu or by contacting the department chair as follows:

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ART HISTORIAN/GALLERY DIRECTOR

Includes quarter-time commitment to directorship of college gallery.
(Prof. William Mayer, mayer@hope.edu)

BIOLOGY

Three positions: (1) organismal botanist, assistant professor; (2) microbiologist, assistant professor, two- or three-year term position; (3) general biology, assistant professor, one-year term, with possibility of renewal for second year. Ph.D. or ABD preferred.
(Dr. Dan Gerbens, gerbens@hope.edu)

CHEMISTRY

Biochemist, assistant professor. Postdoctoral applicants with experience given preference.
(Dr. Joanne Stewart, stewart@hope.edu)

COMPUTER SCIENCE

(1) Tenure track position, Ph.D. and undergraduate teaching competence required; (2) Visiting assistant professor, one-year term. Master's degree and undergraduate teaching experience required. Equivalent background considered.
(Dr. Herbert L. Dershem, dershem@hope.edu)

ECONOMICS

One-year sabbatical leave replacement, visiting assistant or associate professor.
(Dr. James B. Heisler, heisler@hope.edu)

GEOLOGY

Assistant professor, one-year term.
(Dr. Edward Hansen, hansen@hope.edu)

KINESIOLOGY

Athletic training educator/head athletic trainer, three-year renewable term appointment. Master's required/Ph.D. preferred in athletic training or allied discipline. NATA certified with four years experience. (Dr. Richard Ray, ray@hope.edu)

MATHEMATICS

Two positions: (1) statistics and (2) applied mathematics. Rank open.
(Dr. Janet Andersen, jandersen@hope.edu)

MUSIC

Assistant or associate professor of music in applied piano. December 1 was required for postmark on applications.
(Dr. Wesley Ball, ball@hope.edu)

PHYSICS

Assistant professor, Ph.D. required.
(Dr. Paul DeYoung, deyoung@hope.edu)

SOCIAL WORK

Assistant or associate professor, research experience focused on American minority populations. Require MSW from CSWE accredited program plus two years of post-MSW practice experience with culturally-diverse populations; doctorate in social work or related field preferred.
(Dr. James Piers, piers@hope.edu)

SPANISH

Two positions: (1) assistant/associate professor (tenure track) with strong background in Peninsular literature; (2) assistant/associate professor (one-year term appointment) with strong background in Colonial and Pre-Columbian literature.
(Dr. Hersilia Alvarez-Ruf, ruf@hope.edu)

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Assistant or associate professor. Ph.D. in special education required plus teaching certificate; endorsements in learning disabilities (LD) and/or emotional and behavior disorders (EBD).
(Dr. Leslie Wessman, wessman@hope.edu)

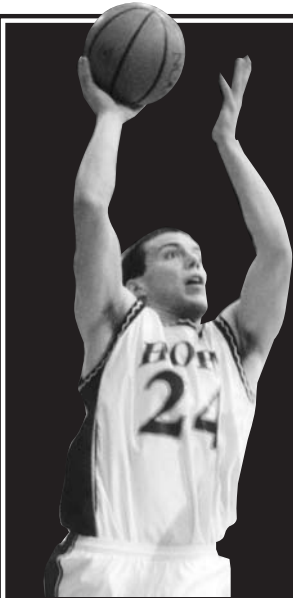
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Ability to combine excellence in classroom teaching with scholarly or other appropriate professional activity; commitment to the character and goals of a liberal arts college with a Christian perspective.

RANK AND SALARY

Tenure track with rank open, unless specified. Salary commensurate with education and experience. Terminal degrees are required for all positions unless otherwise noted.

Hope College places a high priority on sustaining a supportive environment that promotes opportunities for ethnic minorities and women. Therefore, applications from and nominations of women and minority group members are especially welcomed. Hope College complies with federal and state requirements for non-discrimination in employment.



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society that writes certification exams for pension professionals. She and her husband in January of 2000 had a third daughter (please see “Births”) in addition to Katie (age nine) and Ellie (age six). **Katrina Hargreaves-Lee ’87** of Dowagiac, Mich., and her husband had a daughter in September of 2000 (please see “Births”). Katrina also has two step-children: Erica Jean Lee, age 16, and Justin James Lee, age 14. **Elizabeth Huttar ’87** Naka is a partner in Naka,

Huttar & Oldhouser LLP, a law firm that she started with two partners in 1995. The firm is located in Baltimore, Md., and represents lenders in commercial loan transactions through Maryland, Pennsylvania, Washington, D.C., and Virginia. She was married in September (please see “Marriages”), and has two stepchildren: Alex, age 10, and Adalyn, age eight. **Steven Schipper ’87** of Sand Lake, Mich., is a service manager with Chrysler Superstore of

Greenville. He achieved Chrysler’s highest award for training and customer satisfaction for the second year in a row along with being a “five star” dealer in both 1999–2000 and 2000–01. **Julie Cataldo ’88** recently bought a townhouse in Webster, N.Y. She has been working as an editor for more than three years at West Group, a law book publisher in downtown Rochester, N.Y. **Jill Foley ’89** Adams of Holland, Mich., is a lab manager with Microspec Analytical Group Ltd. She is pursuing an M.S. in hazardous waste management at Wayne State University. **Dan Bleitz ’89** and **Joy Portinga ’89** Bleitz are living in Pech, Germany. Their son was born in Bonn in October (please see “Births”), joining sisters Alyssa (age five) and Maria (age three). **Michael Kannisto ’89** of Flanders, N.J., is a staffing specialist for BASF Corporation in Mount Olive, N.J. **Christopher Lee ’89** of Buchanan, Mich., is general manager/director of research and development with International Bakers Services Inc. of South Bend, Ind. The company manufactures flavors for the baking and cereal industries. **Nicole Leitz ’89** of Dearborn, Mich., is a QA/QC supervisor in the Vitamins – Human Nutrition Division of BASF in Wyandotte, Mich. **David Lowry ’89** is a neurosurgeon with Great Lakes Neurological Associates. **Ariane Marolewski ’89** of Norwood, Mass., is director of biochemistry in the Biochemistry Division of Repligen Corporation in Needham, Mass. **Timothy Nieuwenhuis ’89** of Kalamazoo, Mich., is an associate scientist in the Structural, Analytical and Medicinal Chemistry Division at Pharmacia. **Erik Nimz ’89** of Gales Ferry, Conn., is a senior research scientist in the Global Research & Development Division of Pfizer Inc. in Groton, Conn. **Jill McCandless ’89** Northuis of Portage, Mich., is a chemist in the Process Research & Development Division at Pharmacia in Kalamazoo, Mich. **Jay Perriguet III ’89** of Ann Arbor, Mich., is a

physician in Ann Arbor, Mich. **Dacia Pickering ’89** of Lawrenceville, N.J., is a Research Investigator II in the Chemistry–Oncology Division of Bristol–Myers Squibb in Princeton, N.J. **Deborah Rezanka ’89** of Ellettsville, Ind., is an analytical chemist with Microspec Analytical. **Dell Todd ’89** and **Amy Ragains ’92** Todd are currently living in Grand Rapids, Mich. They have two children, Spencer and Katie (please see “Births”). Dell works in sales and works at home three–four days a week, and Amy is a stay–at–home mom. They are very involved in their church in the junior/senior high youth groups. Since the summer of 1999, they have sponsored a Kosovar refugee family of five who escaped war–torn Kosovo. They have helped them resettle here by getting them an apartment, jobs, schooling, a car and English education. Dell and Amy write, “It has truly been a challenging and rewarding year since they stepped off the plane with only the clothes on their backs and very little English; they have been like family ever since!” **James VanderRoest ’89** of South Haven, Mich., is a research and development group leader in the Wyckoff Chemical Division of Catalytica. **Heidi Gassensmith ’89** Williams of Ann Arbor, Mich., is an associate editor at the Institute of Continuing Legal Education.

Campus Notes

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OUTSTANDING PROFS: Each Homecoming, the students are asked to vote for the “Outstanding Faculty/Staff Member of the Year.”

Rather than working from a list of candidates, the students are asked to write in the name of the person they’d most like to see honored. The winner is recognized during the Homecoming game.

This year, there was a tie between two colleagues from the same department: Nancy Wood Cook and Dr. Ronald Wolthuis, each of whom is an associate professor of education.

Professor Cook has been a member of the faculty since 1987, and Dr. Wolthuis has been a member of the faculty since 1985. They each specialize in courses in the program that focus on preparing Hope’s teaching students to work with special needs children, including those with learning disabilities and emotional impairments.

Virginia McDonough, assistant professor of biology, was the only faculty member from an undergraduate college nationwide to receive an award in the 2000 Atorvastatin Research Awards (ARA) Program.

Only 22 of the awards were presented in the program, which is subtitled “A Focus on the Science” and supported by Parke–Davis, Division of Warner–Lambert Company, and Pfizer Inc. Dr. McDonough received \$50,000 for her research project “The Role of ABC Transporters in the Cellular Accumulation of Fatty Acids.”

The award program’s mission is to support outstanding investigators at the early stages of their careers in academic research. The program supports research into basic mechanisms of disease in neuroscience, cardiovascular medicine, diabetes, endocrinology, inflammation/immunology or oncology. Atorvastatin is a drug used to treat high cholesterol, and is manufactured by Parke–Davis and Pfizer.

The other recipients were from universities, medical schools and hospitals.

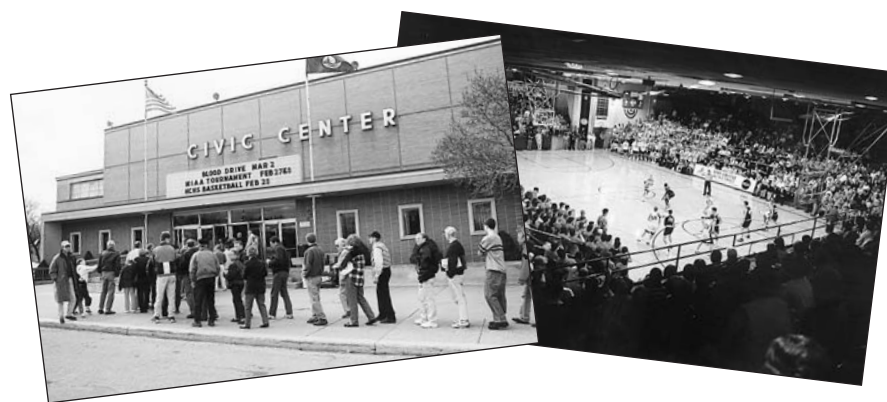
Dr. McDonough’s research, conducted jointly with Hope students, is focused on the molecular biology of fats, using yeast as a model organism. She is studying the transport and use of fatty acids in cells, and is particularly interested in what makes some fatty acids toxic to cells.

1990s

Michael Cheek ’90 of Papillion, Neb., has been promoted to major in the U.S. Air Force and chief of the department of orthopedics at Offutt Air Force Base. He and wife Wendy Sherwood ’92 Cheek are busy with children Camden (age four) and Kaedyn (age two) and several recent foster children.

Bridget McManus ’90 is a content developer with Cognitive Arts. In October she wrote that she loves “working and living in Chicago, but with autumn comes nostalgia. I begin to wonder what’s become of long lost friends made while in

You won’t need to get in line to get a seat at the Holland Civic Center to enjoy Hope–Calvin basketball this year.



Coming live via satellite will be the Saturday, Jan. 20, Hope–at–Calvin game (3 p.m. EST).

The Alumni Associations of Hope and Calvin will again be beaming the live telecast of this classic small–college rivalry across the country. Last year alumni and friends of the two colleges gathered at more than 40 locations to cheer the orange–and–blue and maroon–and–gold.

If you are interested in hosting a gathering, contact Alumni Director Lynne Powe ’86 (powe@hope.edu), (616) 395–7860.

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Holland. Don't be afraid to get in touch!—bridgewith1_t@yahoo.com."

David Phillips '90, his wife and their one-year-old son Jerry are living in Melbourne, Australia, where David is implementing a Web-enabled ERP system for a client. They plan on spending 2001 traveling and living throughout Asia to complete the system rollout.

Erik Sales '90 of Grand Rapids, Mich., had a new percussion CD released in October. He writes, "This is a high quality recording of just drums and percussion that most everyone will find interesting to listen to. This idea began when I attended Hope and was part of the now extinct percussion ensemble."

Kevin Crammer '91 of Farmington, Mich., is an internist with the Macomb Medical Clinic in Sterling Heights, Mich.

David Herman '91 is a self-employed painter/contractor in Bozeman, Mont.

Shawn Jacob '91 of Holland, Mich., has been chosen by the Michigan Humanities Council and Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs to be included with the Arts and Humanities Touring Program for 2000-03 as *The Amazing Egghead*. His shows feature physical comedy, sight gags, offbeat magic and juggling, often used to engage audiences with motivational messages. He presents nearly 200 shows each year, working primarily with schools, libraries, churches and corporations.

Randy Cross '92 of Wyoming, Mich., is sales operations manager with Computer Products & Resources (CPR) in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Suzanne Greicar '92 of Chicago, Ill., is helping North Park University start a missions program. She works closely with the Missions Student Leadership council to plan and lead short-term mission trips during Christmas, spring and summer break, increase global awareness on campus, and prepare students for missionary service at all levels during and following college.

Faith Link '92 of Hoboken, N.J., in March of 2000 became minister of the Community Church of Hoboken. She also continues to do ministry with Hospice.

Jennifer Buell '92 Mahnken of Lenexa, Kan., has been promoted to business services manager with the Johnson County Library. She is in charge of promoting the Business collection as well as developing new services and partnerships.

Carolyn McCreedy '92 Mitchell of Cadillac, Mich., works part-time in the Cadillac schools as a reading specialist for grades one and two.

Todd Query '92 is working full-time as the director of S.T.A.G.E. Youth Ministry, an ecumenical youth program in Berkley, Mich. The program is supported by three local congregations: Berkley 1st United Methodist, Cana Evangelical Lutheran and Greenfield Presbyterian churches. Todd is also seeking ordination as a "Permanent Deacon" in the United Methodist Church.

Rob Riekse '92 and his wife have moved to Seattle, Wash. He completed his residency in internal medicine at Spectrum Health east and Saint Mary's Mercy Medical Center in Grand Rapids, Mich., this past summer. He is currently in his first year of a two-year fellowship in geriatric medicine at the University of Washington in Seattle. He is actively involved in three hospitals, including the University of Washington Medical Center, Seattle Veterans Affairs Medical Center and Harborview Medical Center in Seattle.

Marcel terVeen '92 of Holland, Mich., has been named a Michigan certified nurseryman by the Michigan Certified Nurseryman Committee of the Michigan Nursery and Landscape Association.

Annica Euvrard '92 Waalkes is a second-year resident at DDEAMC, Fort Gordon, Ga. Daughter Amelia, now 18 months old, is filling the parts of her day that work isn't. Annica can be reached at awaalkes@yahoo.com

Philip Waalkes '92 completed residency in family practice at DDEAMC, Fort Gordon, Ga. He is currently in Taszar, Hungary, as family practice physician for the peace keeping mission SFOR VIII. He will be back in Augusta, Ga., in April. He writes, "For 'news from the front,' e-mail at apwaalkes@yahoo.com. Pray for peace, Phil."

Julie Norman '93 Grimes and husband A. Dale Grimes Jr. '91 recently had twin girls (please see "Births"). Julie is now staying at home with her children.

Kyle Ritsema '93 is living in Fillmore, Mich., and has been promoted to an account executive and delivery captain with Yacht Basin Marina in

Holland, Mich.

Mark Schaaf '93 of Rochester Hills, Mich., is a resident in family medicine at Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital.

James Schut '93 of Columbia, Tenn., is self-employed as an applied research psychologist/evaluation consultant in Nashville, Tenn.

Brian Watkins '93 returned to the Midwest in July and accepted a position as the assistant director of academic enhancement at DePaul University in Chicago, Ill. He had previously lived in Philadelphia, Pa., for four years, serving as director of campus activities and student involvement and as adjunct professor in sociology at Beaver College. In April, he was recognized for his contributions to the student affairs profession and was presented with the 1999-2000 National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA) Outstanding New Professional Award. He is a published author on diversity issues in higher education. He lives in Evanston, Ill., with his partner.

Mark Baker '94 is a command judge advocate at Naval Submarine Base Kings Bay, Ga.

Richard Blair '94 of Van Nuys, Calif., is pursuing a doctorate in inorganic chemistry at the University of California in Los Angeles.

Kevin Bobofchak '94 is a post-doctoral fellow at Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions in Baltimore, Md.

Michael Camburn '94 of Pullman, Mich., is employed by Parke-Davis/Warner-Lambert Company in Holland, Mich. He is a LIMS administrator, responsible for developing and maintaining the LIMS System in the Quality Control Laboratory.

Derek Colmenares '94 of Columbia, S.C., is a family practice chief resident at Palmetto Richland Memorial Hospital.

Jane Cook '94 of Fremont, Mich., is a high school

science teacher with the Fremont Public Schools.

Marcie Miller '94 Daly of Grand Blanc, Mich., is assistant lab manager for the Department of Chemistry at Oakland University in Rochester, Mich.

Derek Draft '94 of Holland, Mich., is a self-employed general dentist in Grandville, Mich. He recently joined the Holland Police Department Reserves Unit.

Matthew Erickson '94 of Traverse City, Mich., is the owner of Great Lakes Chiropractic.

Timothy Ewald '94 of Holland, Mich., is a chemistry/English teacher at Black River Public School.

Nathalie Hallyn '94 of Minneapolis, Minn., is an ecological designer with Kestrel Design Group, doing a combination of ecology and landscape architecture.

Jon Hammerschmidt '94 of Rochester, N.Y., is a senior research scientist for Eastman Kodak.

Scott Hice '94 was promoted to senior tax associate at BDO Seidman LLP, and transferred from the Grand Rapids, Mich., office to the New York City office in October of 2000.

Zachary Kerwin '94 of Clarkston, Mich., is an anesthesiology resident with The University of Michigan Medical Centers in Ann Arbor, Mich.

William King III '94 of Hudsonville, Mich., is a resident attorney with Factor & Partners LLC of Holland, Mich., and Chicago, Ill.

Ali Kooistra '94 of Washington, D.C., is gallery manager with KITCHEN [K]-A Design Gallery.

David Long Jr. '94 of South Boston, Mass., is an equal employment opportunity investigator with the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Julie DeGoede '94 May of Noblesville, Ind., recently graduated from optometry school (please see "Advanced Degrees") and is working in private practice for two doctors in the Indianapolis area. She and husband Scott May

'93 just built a new house.

Timothy McCarty '94 is in his third year teaching seventh grade social studies at Monroe-Woodbury Middle School in Central Valley, N.Y. He is also coaching seventh and eighth grade football for the school, which is consistently ranked top-10 in Class AA, the largest class in New York. He writes, "We have over 65 players due to the popularity of the program, many of these seventh-eighth graders having never played the game before. It is exciting and challenging to teach them the game of football. They are so eager to learn and be part of the program. I am in charge of the offensive and defensive lines and I am having so much fun!! I am living my dream, teaching and coaching!!"

Katrina Parmelee '94 Peters of Clarkston, Mich., is a family practice resident in the Department of Family Practice at William Beaumont Hospital in Troy, Mich.

Derek Sanders '94 has a dental practice in Midland, Mich.

Tammy Birbeck '94 Schaaf of Rochester Hills, Mich., is a resident in OB/GYN at St. John's Riverview Hospital.

John Silva '94 of Highland Park, Ill., is a project manager with Hewitt Associates in Lincolnshire, Ill.

Douglas Swanson '94 of Kettering, Ohio, is an account representative in the Dow Automotive Division of The Dow Chemical Company.

Darnisha Taylor '94, performing with the professional name of Taylor Rolyat, sang during the Crossroads Festival, a community tent revival, in Reed City, Mich., in August. She is a Christian recording artist and music producer in addition to directing the Hope College Gospel Choir.

Sarah Leighton '94 Thibault of DeWitt, Mich., is employed in the East Lansing Crime Laboratory of the Michigan State Police. She is a forensic sci-



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entist/DNA analyst in the Forensic Science Division.

Fredrick Vance '94 of Midland, Mich., is a senior research chemist at The Dow Chemical Company, Corporate R&D.

Holly Van Vliet '94 of South Lyon, Mich., is an account manager for the Michigan Region of Invitrogen.

Wesley White '94 of Indianapolis, Ind., works in chemistry at Eli Lilly Company.

Angela Fagerlin '95 of Ann Arbor, Mich., has completed her doctorate in experimental psychology (please see "Advanced Degrees"). She is a research faculty member in the School of Medicine at the University of Michigan, and has a research appointment at the Ann Arbor Veterans Affairs Medical Center.

Eric Foster '95 writes, "It has been a good year since I left Capitol Hill, presumably for law school." He notes that he put those plans on hold as he accepted a job with the mayor of Washington, D.C., Anthony A. Williams, as his special assistant for Congressional affairs, lobbying on his and the city's behalf. He is now deputy director for the city's Office of the Public Advocate, managing the day-to-day community and political operations of the 13-member staff and being responsible for marketing the mayor and his policies to D.C. residents, civic organizations, the local Democratic parties and local elected officials.

Eric Almli '96 is a physician, serving as an emergency room resident, at Emory University's Grady Hospital in Atlanta, Ga.

Nasir (Nasser) Beitello '96 of Battle Creek, Mich., writes, "If you know who I am, I will certainly remember you. Drop me a couple of lines, I would love to hear from any of you. My love goes out to those in Spain, Germany, France, Japan, India, South Africa, and to all of those still living in the U.S. Always looking forward to hearing from you!"

Kimberly Benton '96 is an environmental educator with the Northwest Park and Nature Center

in Windsor, Conn.

Heather Blanton-Dykstra '96 is a business and property law attorney with Smith, Haughey, Rice & Roegge in Traverse City, Mich.

Erik Carpenter '96 of Washington, D.C., is a physical scientist (forensic examiner) with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

David Charnin '96 moved to Boston, Mass., on October 2, 2000, and became associated with the law firm of Ropes & Gray. He currently practices in their corporate and real estate departments.

Richard Maples '96 quit work at the juvenile delinquent home in August of 1999 to pursue a second bachelor's, in agricultural business management, at Michigan State University. He also returned to his love of cross country, and was hired as an assistant coach at rival Albion College. "I had an incredible time, but due to time constraints I was not able to continue as the assistant coach again this fall," he writes. He will complete his degree at MSU in May, and has already been offered a position with Tractor Supply Company following graduation.

Gail Messing '96 recently purchased her first home, in Kalamazoo, Mich. She continues to work as a registered nurse-case manager for Visiting Nurse and Hospice Services. She writes, "I am enjoying my work and being a homeowner!"

Melissa O'Connor '96 spent this past summer working for Young Life as a mountaineering guide in the Medicine Bow mountains of Wyoming. In October she moved to San Jose, Costa Rica, for the year to work for Young Life in ministry to high school and college students.

Naomi Tsukamoto '96 is completing her M.Ed degree, and is working as an assistant program coordinator for Imagination Works, a new children's museum in Natick, Mass.

Audrey Coates '97 Akland of Chicago, Ill., is a mechanical engineer for Automated Systems Inc. of Lake Bluff, Ill.

Hasan Choudhry '97 is a senior consultant at Technology Solutions Company.

Cynthia Canavera '97 Crannell of Minneapolis, Minn., is a fifth grade teacher in New Hope, Minn.

Amy Hinderer '97 of Scottsdale, Ariz., is an associate attorney, in business and finance, with Snell & Wilmer LLP.

Dana Jensen '97 of Madison, Wis., is pursuing a master's degree in land resources through the Institute for Environmental Studies at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, focusing in land use policy and planning toward ecologically sustainable management of protected areas.

Chad M. Nykamp '97 and **Cindy Achterhof '97 Nykamp** have moved to the Northern Virginia area. Chad is a marketing representative for the National Rifle Association in Fairfax, Va., and Cindy is at home with their newborn daughter (please see "Births").

Meghan Perry '97 of Novi, Mich., is a special education teacher at Novi Meadows School.

Tyler Smith '97 is attending the Northwestern University Kellogg Graduate School of Management in pursuit of his MBA. He is still living in Lincoln Park, just north of downtown Chicago.

Timothy Su '97 is pursuing a master's in clinical psychology at Wheaton College.

Rochelle Tedesco '97 is an associate with the Washington, D.C., law firm of Crowell & Moring LLP.

Tonia Bruins '98 of South Bend, Ind., is in her first year as an assistant athletic trainer at Notre Dame University.

Matt Cassell '98 recently switched jobs and is now a senior analyst in the Mergers and Acquisitions Group at Duff & Phelps, a middle-market investment bank in Chicago, Ill.

Jennifer Smith '98 DeBoer of Valparaiso, Ind., is an attorney practicing labor law, employment law and insurance defense with Steven A. Johnson & Associates of Merrillville, Ind.

Jonathan DeWitte '98 of Alexandria, Va., is a legislative assistant with Congressman Dave Camp in Washington, D.C.

Jenny Wilson '98 Farmer is a labor delivery nurse at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor, Mich. **Mike Farmer '99** is a human resource generalist for Absopure Water Co. in Plymouth, Mich., working full-time while pursuing his master's in labor and industrial relations at Michigan State University part-time. They wrote in October to note that their daughter, Emma, was 16 months old "and more fun everyday!"

Kevin Freng '98 of Hudsonville, Mich., is marketing manager with Westfield Companies in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Julie Holwerda '98 has left her teaching job in Wheaton, Ill., to accept a short-term mission assignment with TEAM ministries. She is at the Black Forest Academy in Kandern, Germany. She is teaching French and physical education, and coaching volleyball and track.

Eddie Hwang '98 of Pentwater, Mich., is a pharmaceutical sales representative for TAP Pharmaceuticals.

Kari-Lynn Lesser '98 of Barrington, Ill., is a flight attendant with United Airlines.

Clinton Moore '98 of Darien, Ill., is the PeopleSoft support lead with Technology Solutions Company in Chicago, Ill.

Lara Wagner '98 Moore of Darien, Ill., is a sales and marketing associate with Marketing Werks in Chicago, Ill.

Kate Reed '98 Randall of Grandville, Mich., is a school social worker with the Allendale Public Schools.

Michael Vander Elzen '98 is a retail associate in the Holland North office of Michigan National.

Kristin Zimdahl '98 this fall began a master's program at the university in Innsbruck, Austria. She is studying translation and interpretation in English, German and Spanish.

Jason Hester '99 of Wyoming, Mich., is an account executive with Louis Padnos Iron & Metal Company in Holland, Mich.

Carla Boss '99 Hwang of Pentwater, Mich., is teaching English at Pentwater High School.

Case McCalla '99 of Holland, Mich., is a commercial credit analyst with AmeriBank in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Megan Radcliffe '99 of Waukegan, Ill., has moved to New York City and recently finished

assistant directing an off-Broadway play called "COBB," by Lee Blessing. The show opened on November 8, and was presented by The Melting Pot Theatre Company, Trigger Street Productions and Kevin Spacey. Megan is also pursuing her acting career in New York.

Alicia Tomicich '99 of Pacific, Mo., since February of 2000 has been working as an academic educator/community support worker with Preferred Family Healthcare, and writes that she has "been gaining new knowledge in the field of substance abuse treatment for adolescents ever since."

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Milestone alert!

The 1999-2000 Milestones have been shipped to the homes of alumni who had ordered them.

Michelle Barnett '00 is in the doctoral program in clinical psychology at The University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa. She has received a Graduate Council Fellowship to the university for the 2000-01 academic year.

Nicholas Belill '00 is attending Michigan College of Optometry at Ferris State University.

Banu Demiralp '00 of Baltimore, Md., is a research consultant with The Protection Project (The Foreign Policy Institute of the School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins), in Washington, D.C.

Travis Graham '00 is attending the Arizona College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Margaret Klott '00 of Kalamazoo, Mich., is an athletic trainer with West Michigan Rehab in Allegan, Mich.

Jennifer Kossoris '00 is attending the University of Chicago Medical School.

Melyssa Lenon '00 of Ossineke, Mich., is a high school mathematics teacher with the Alpena (Mich.) Public Schools.

Donna Maupin '00 of Farmington Hills, Mich., is an in-home family reunification case manager with Orchards Children's Services in Detroit, Mich.

Matthew Reynolds '00 is attending Northwestern University Medical School.

Mark Slabaugh '00 is attending the University of Washington-Seattle Medical School.

Kevin Sonnemann '00 is doing graduate work in biology at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Andrea Speers '00 has joined Marketing Resource Group Inc. of Lansing, Mich., as an account coordinator dealing with public affairs and corporate communications.

Jaclyn Vande Wege '00 of Avon, Colo., is employed by Vail Associates as ticket foreman at Golden Peak Children's Center.

Emily Wahlstrom '00 is a computer technician with the Holland (Mich.) Public Schools.

Betsy Waterloo '00 of Ann Arbor, Mich., is a special education teacher at Orchard Hills Elementary School.

Susan Hinman '01 has been accepted into the dental program at the University of Detroit Mercy School of Dentistry.

Marriages

We welcome your news. In fact, we *like* printing it, so please keep it coming. Please note, though, that we don't publish engagement announcements—that's what this "marriages" section is for! Please write us after your wedding takes place.

James R. Cannon Jr. '76 and Joanne Gilbert.
Jeffrey L. Ver Beek '81 and Laura, June 24, 2000.

Keith Grigoletto '82 and Sandra Tyler, Sept. 30, 2000, East Hampton, N.Y.

Lisa Roth '82 and Raymond Slaton, Dec. 18, 1999, Monticello, Fla.

Elizabeth Huttar '87 and David Naka, Sept. 3,

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Sarah Lawrence '90 and Rich Mann, April 26, 2000.
Richard M. Sedlar '92 and Karen M. Walters, Sept. 3, 2000, Winter Park, Colo.
Kristen Caulkins '93 and Timothy Farrell, Aug. 5, 2000, Kalamazoo, Mich.
Sheryl Fenske '93 and Joseph Gutzwiller, July 15, 2000, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Mark D. Baker '94 and Colleen McAlinden, April 1, 2000, Livonia, Mich.
Holly J. Van Vliet '94 and Tracee S. Senter, Sept. 9, 2000, Fenton, Mich.
Heather R. Blanton '96 and James M. Dykstra '97, June 5, 1999, Holland, Mich.
Phil Velderman '96 and Elizabeth Robertson, Aug. 12, 2000, Livonia, Mich.
Cynthia Canavera '97 and Patrick Crannell, May 21, 2000, Key West, Fla.
Carrie Carley '97 and Evan Llewellyn '97, Aug. 19, 2000, Holland, Mich.
Dan DeMare '97 and Sara Wilson '97, Oct. 28, 2000, Ann Arbor, Mich.
Dana Anne Jensen '97 and Russell T. Schnitzer, Sept. 11, 1999, Muskegon, Mich.
Jennifer Geerdink '98 and Mark Kamper, Aug. 12, 2000, Ada, Mich.
Clinton Allen Moore '98 and Lara Jean Wagner '98, Aug. 18, 2000, Palos Heights, Ill.
Kevin Randall '98 and Kate Reed '98, June 30, 2000.
Jennifer Lynn Smith '98 and Michael John DeBoer, May 28, 2000, Holland, Mich.
Zackery Vanden Berg '98 and Lisa Rottman, June 17, 2000.
Carrie Waterloo '98 and Ken Krause, Aug. 19, 2000, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Case McCalla '99 and Amy Vander Slice '01, June 10, 2000, New Era, Mich.

Births

Carl Schwedler '81 and Marcia Berry, Luke Jacob Schwedler, Feb. 17, 2000.
Jan Anderson '83 Waite and Tyler Waite, Kira Louise, April 19, 2000.
Rick Avra '83 and LaNae Tilstra '84 Avra, Charlotte Jo, June 20, 2000.
Timothy Dieffenbach '84 and Brenda Hoffman '89 Dieffenbach, Abigail Elizabeth, Sept. 14, 2000.
Cheryl Spaeth '86 Gabriel and Scott Gabriel, Erika Lyn, Jan. 3, 2000.
Katrina Hargreaves-Lee '87 and Jeffery Lee, Peyton Louise Lee, Sept. 16, 2000.
Dan Bleitz '89 and Joy Portinga '89 Bleitz, Evan Daniel, Oct. 5, 2000.
Rebecca Damson '89 Selenko and John Selenko, Kathryn Lynn, Oct. 2, 2000.
Dell Todd '89 and Amy Ragains '92 Todd, Catherine "Katie" Hart, Sept. 25, 1998, and Spencer Christian, Aug. 25, 2000.
A. Dale Grimes Jr. '91 and Julie R. Norman '93 Grimes, Sarah Ellen and Emily Renee, Sept. 8, 2000.
Judith Bayer '92 Alley and Troy Alley, Mitchell Garrett, July 20, 2000.
Stephen Cole '92 and Suzanne Chesser '92 Cole, Aaron Tyler, Oct. 7, 2000.
Randy Cross '92 and Betsy Cross, Alexander John, Sept. 18, 2000.
Carolyn McCreedy '92 Mitchell and Randy Mitchell, Carissa Jean, April 11, 2000.
Kristin Sikkenga '93 Northrop and Bradford Northrop, Jackson Robert, Aug. 9, 2000.
Marcee Miller '94 Daly and Shannon Daly, Connor Matthew, March 25, 2000.
Donna Bolenz '94 Lindley and Jonathan Lindley, Ryan Alexander, Aug. 28, 2000.
Sarah Leighton '94 Thibault and Josh Thibault, Joseph William, Aug. 29, 2000.
Clint Sallee '95 and Samantha Sallee, Cole Clinton, Sept. 24, 2000.
Shannon Vanderspool '96 Watson and Rob Watson, Samara Lee (Marli), Oct. 11, 2000.
Chad M. Nykamp '97 and Cindy Achterhof '97 Nykamp, Adelei Elizabeth, Aug. 17, 2000.
Jeremy Caulkins '98 and Rebecca Travis Caulkins, Emma Travis, July 29, 1999.

Advanced Degrees

Richard Mezeske '69, Ph.D., education, Michigan State University, May, 2000.
Todd Query '92, master of divinity, with spe-

cialization in Christian education, Methodist Theological School of Ohio, May, 2000.
Todd A. Bredeweg '94, Ph.D., nuclear chemistry, Indiana University, September, 2000.
Heather VanAlstine '94 Dale, Ph.D., biomolecular chemistry, University of Wisconsin Medical School, 2000.
Steven Kooi '94, Ph.D., chemical physics, Penn State University, July, 2000.
Julie DeGoede '94 May, Optometry School at Indiana University, May, 2000.
Timothy McCarty '94, master of science in education with a major in special education, State University of New York at New Paltz, August, 2000. Also certification to teach special education in New York, K-12.
Angela Fagerlin '95, Ph.D., experimental psychology, Kent State University, Aug. 19, 2000.
Michelle Brown '95 Warren, master's in the art of teaching (MAT), Marygrove College, December, 1999.
Kimberly Benton '96, master of science in environmental education, Southern Connecticut State University, New Haven, Conn., May, 2000.
Sara Beth Minnaar '96, master's, counseling psychology, Western Michigan University, August, 2000.
Cynthia Canavera '97 Crannell, master of education, University of Minnesota in Minneapolis, May, 2000.
Rochelle Tedesco '97, J.D., University of Michigan, May, 2000.
Jennifer Smith '98 DeBoer, juris doctorate, Valparaiso University School of Law, May, 2000.

Deaths

Word has been received of the death of **Miriam Kathryn Baehr '36** of Sparta, Mich., who died on Wednesday, Oct. 18, 2000. More information will appear in the next issue.

Word has been received of the death of **Faried (Fred) Banna '51**, who died on Saturday, June 27, 1998, at age 73.

James H. Barr '39 of Seattle, Wash., died on Tuesday, Aug. 29, 2000. He was 83.
He was born on July 13, 1917, in Newburgh, N.Y. He graduated from the University of Arizona.
He was a Methodist minister, and later a school teacher.
Survivors include a sister, Marjorie Ellen Barr Bauld of Manchester, Conn., and an adopted daughter.
He was preceded in death by an adopted son.

Natalie G. Bosman '46 of Saugatuck, Mich., died of cancer on Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2000. She was 76.
She was the great-granddaughter of one of Holland's earliest pioneer merchants. She graduated from Holland High School in 1942.
She taught at Plainwell High School for seven years, and then taught in Japan, Austria, France and Saudi Arabia. She returned to Holland in 1959 and taught French and English at Holland High School for 21 years, retiring in 1979.
She was preceded in death by her parents, George and Olyve Bosman, and a sister, Louise Bosman Brake.
Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Peter (Yvonne Bosman) Jonker of Holland; four nieces and nephews, Peter Jonker IV of Saugatuck, G. Nathan and Marilyn Jonker of Clio, Mich., and Waukazoo, Mich., Olivia Y. (Jonker) and Jeffrey Belanger of Traverse City, Mich., and Louise A. (Jonker) McCormick of Holland; and six great-nieces and great-nephews, Nicholas McCormick of Ann Arbor, Mich., Sarah and Katharine Jonker of Colorado and Clio, and Ian, Andrew and Cameron Belanger of Traverse City.

Charles W. Davidson '47 of Wellston, Mich., died on Saturday, Aug. 26, 2000. He was 77.
He was a veteran of World War II and the Korean Conflict, where he served in the U.S. Marine Corps.
He was a former educator with the Grand Rapids (Mich.) Public Schools. He was also the former owner of Tifts in Newaygo, Mich.
He was preceded in death by a grandson, Aaron Hulst, in March of 1999.
Survivors include his wife, Iris; his former wife, Bernice M. Davidson; his sons, Kirk (Cheryl) Davidson of Montague, Mich., and

Craig (Amy) Davidson of White Cloud, Mich.; his stepchildren, Steven (Jacque) Hulst of Newaygo, Janet Weiss of Grand Rapids and Jim (Kim) Hulst of Hudsonville, Mich.; his grandchildren, Charles A. and Katie Ann Davidson, Nathan, Cynthia, Elizabeth and Jonathan Hulst, Kara and David Olson, and his Trinity, Gabriel, Emily and Hallie Hulst; and his great-grandchildren, Corbin and Carson Olson.

Word has been received of the death of **Allan E. Frelander '51** of Carlinville, Ill., who died on Tuesday, Oct. 24, 2000. More information will appear in the next issue.

Word has been received of the death of **Lloyd A. Heneveld '49** of Grand Rapids, Mich., who died on Friday, Nov. 24, 2000. More information will appear in the next issue.

Word has been received of the death of **Bill Holwerda '50** of Grand Rapids, Mich., who died on Friday, Nov. 17, 2000. More information will appear in the next issue.

Word has been received of the death of **Adrian Kammeraad '33** of Indianapolis, Ind., who died on Friday, Nov. 17, 2000. More information will appear in the next issue.

Donna Lampman '70 of Schenectady, N.Y., died on Thursday, July 27, 2000, following a battle with Lou Gehrig's Disease, or ALS (amyotrophic lateral sclerosis).
She was a mathematics major at Hope. She had been a teacher in the Greater Amsterdam school district for nearly 30 years, teaching at the elementary and middle school levels.

Survivors include her mother, Mildred Lampman of Colonie, N.Y.; a sister, Karen Reynolds of Colonie; and two nephews, Scott and Todd Reynolds of Colonie.
She was preceded in death by her father, Clifford Lampman.

Ruth Geerlings '32 Marcotte of Boston, Mass., died on Tuesday, Feb. 29, 2000. She was 89.
She was born in Grand Rapids, Mich., on Aug. 26, 1910, and grew up in Holland, Mich. After graduating from Hope, she taught in the Holland Public Schools.
She married Reo J. Marcotte '32, and they spent two years in New Haven, Conn., and nine years in Pittsfield, Mass., before moving to Belmont, Mass., in 1953, where he was the CEO of Mount Auburn Hospital until his retirement in 1972. He died in 1983.
She had lived in Belmont for 46 years prior to moving to a retirement community in Boston in March of 1999. During her years in Belmont she was active in the Plymouth Congregational Church, the Belmont Women's Club, the League of Women Voters and the Mount Auburn Hospital Auxiliary. She was also an avid garden-er.

She is survived by her son, Keith Marcotte, and his wife, Virginia, of Boston.

Laurena Louisa Hollebrands '32 Meyer of Midlothian, Va., died on Friday, Sept. 1, 2000. She was 90.
She was born on Dec. 15, 1909, in Leota, Minn., to Cornelia Ver Ploeg Hollebrands and the Rev. James John Hollebrands.
She was the widow of the late Rev. Cornelius Meyer '32, who died in 1969. He had served the

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Altamont (N.Y.) Reformed Church for 15 years as pastor, and she lived in Altamont until moving to Virginia two years ago.

While in Altamont, she learned to drive and completed her master's in English at SUNY at Albany. She taught high school English at Berne-Knox-Westerlo School District for a number of years.

She was an active member of the Altamont Reformed Church. She served as an elder on consistory, participated in the woman's circle, taught Sunday school, sang in the choir, and led spiritual retreats.

Survivors include two sons, the Rev. John Hollebrands Meyer '59 of Douglaston, N.Y., and Cornelius James Meyer of Midlothian; a daughter, Janice Meyer Henning of Laceyville, Pa.; nine grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a sister, Pauline Dykstra of Grosse Pointe Park, Mich.

Word has been received of the death of **Nellie VanEeuwen '33 Miller** of Arlington, Mass., who died on Thursday, Nov. 16, 2000. More information will appear in the next issue.

Word has been received of the death of **Warren K. Plaggemars '59** of Jenison, Mich., who died on Saturday, Nov. 25, 2000. More information will appear in the next issue.

Margaret Sherman '71 of North Muskegon, Mich., died on Thursday, Nov. 2, 2000. She was 82.

She was born in Yonkers, N.Y. She graduated from Emma Willard School in Troy, and Julliard School of Music.

After graduating from Hope, she became a vocal music teacher for Muskegon Community College and Hope. She also gave private voice lessons. She was a member of the National Association of Teachers of Singing.

Her husband, Gilbert, preceded her in death in 1995.

Survivors include her children, Thomas and Jeanine Sherman of Kalamazoo, Mich., Elizabeth Boswell Sherman of Southgate, Mich., and Helen Hume Sherman of North Muskegon; a sister, Sue and Andrew Wierengo of Muskegon, Mich.; two brothers, Frank Jr. and Esther McKee of Port Orange, Fla., and Alan and Patricia McKee of Benton Harbor, Mich.; one grandson; and nieces and nephews.

Gloria VandeHoef '73 Timmer of Lawrence, Kan., died on Wednesday, Oct. 11, 2000, following a lengthy battle with breast cancer. She was 49.

She was born in Sheldon, Iowa, on Jan. 23, 1951, to Paul '62 and Jean VandeHoef. She completed an MBA at Phillips University in Enid, Okla., in 1982.

She married John B. Timmer, an officer in the U.S. Air Force, on June 10, 1972. The Air Force took the Timmers around the country, with assignments in Mississippi, Arkansas, Virginia, Washington and Oklahoma.

Upon leaving active duty in 1982, the Timmer family moved to Lawrence, and Gloria began working for the State of Kansas at the Legislative Post Audit office. She later worked for the Division of Legislative Research as a fiscal analyst and the Division of Budget as principal analyst.

She was appointed State Budget Director in 1991 by Governor Joan Finney, and reappointed by Governor Bill Graves in 1995. She also served as Secretary of Administration for Governor Finney. In 1998, she moved to Washington, D.C., to be the executive director of the National Association of State Budget Officers.

She was a long-time member of Plymouth Congregational Church, where she served as chair of the Stewardship Board and as moderator.

Survivors include her husband; her daughters, Tracy Timmer '99 of Boulder, Colo., and Jennifer Timmer of Lawrence; her father and

stepmother, Paul '62 and Thelma VandeHoef of Grandville, Mich.; her mother, Jean VandeHoef of Grand Rapids; brothers, Darrell VandeHoef '78 of Zeeland, Mich., and Jeff VandeHoef of Grand Rapids; a sister, Paula VandeHoef '77 Drumm of Bloomington, Ill.; her parents-in-law, Barbara Dee Folensbee '43 Timmer and John Norman Timmer '38 of Holland; and two sisters-in-law, Barbara Timmer '69 of San Francisco, Calif., and Susan G. Timmer.

Joyce VanOss '40 Twist of East Amherst, N.Y., died on Saturday, Sept. 2, 2000. She was 81.

She was born on April 11, 1919, in Jamestown, Mich., to Bert J. and Allis (Atwood) VanOss.

After graduating from Hope, she taught in the Howard City Community Schools. She moved to Marshall, Mich., in 1945, and taught at Marshall's Central School as a sixth grade teacher.

She was married in Marshall on May 1, 1948, to Harold A. Twist. She subsequently took a leave from teaching until 1962, when she rejoined the Marshall school system, teaching in the junior high school English department. She later taught science in the junior high school, and later, in the Marshall Middle School, from which she retired.

She was a life member of the Michigan Education Association, the National Education Association and Marshall Retired Teachers. She had also been active in the American Association of University Women, the Claude E. Hale VFW Post Auxiliary, Campfire and local 4-H.

She had been a member of Trinity Episcopal Church, where she taught Sunday school, and was a member of First Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include her daughter, Mary (Mark) Heard, and two grandsons, Matthew and Adam Heard of East Amherst; and nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harold A. Twist, and brothers, Willis B. VanOss and Roger J. VanOss.

Aaron John Ungersma '26 of San Rafael, Calif., died on Monday, Sept. 18, 2000. He was 95.

He was born in Lafayette, Ind. Following Hope, he received his first theology degree from Western Theological Seminary, a master's in theology from Princeton and his doctorate *magna cum laude* in psychology from Marburg University in Marburg, Germany. He was ordained a minister in the Presbyterian Church in 1929.

He married the former Mary Elizabeth Byrne, who survives him, in 1930. They had three children, who also survive him.

He was a veteran of World War II, having served as a chaplain on a troop ship in the Pacific Theatre for the U.S. Navy. After the war, he continued his service in the Navy Reserve as a psychologist, and lectured at U.S. bases in the Pacific. He attained the rank of commander in the Naval Reserve.

He began his teaching career at the University of Denver, where he was a professor of psychology from 1935 to 1938. He came to the San Francisco Theological Seminary in 1938, first as Stuart Professor of Systematic Theology and later specializing in pastoral psychology until his retirement in 1976.

In 1938, he became one of the founders of the Pacific Coast Theological Group (now Society). In 1952, he was president of the Mental Health Society, and co-founded the first out-patient mental health facility in Marin County, Calif.

In 1974, he was inducted as the first occupant of the Tulley Chair of Pastoral Psychology at the San Francisco Theological Seminary. Simultaneously, he was one of the initial faculty members of the Graduate Theological Union in Berkeley.

His books include *The Search for Meaning* (1961), a study of Victor Frankl's existential analysis or "logotherapy"; *Handbook for Christian Believers* (1964); and *Escape from Phoniness* (1969).

His interests also included music. As a student in the late 1920s, he played the organ accompaniment for silent movies, and throughout his life he played the piano, accordion and bass viol in small bands.

In addition to his wife, survivors include his daughter, Joan Halperin of Orinda, Calif.; two sons, John Ungersma of Bishop and Michael Ungersma of Campbell, Calif.; his sister,

Henrietta Boyd of Jonesboro, Ark.; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Phoebe Sargent '37 Van Dragt of Holland, Mich., died on Thursday, Oct. 12, 2000. She was 85.

She had been a teacher in the Fennville Public Schools for 27 years, and was a member of the Retired School Teachers Association. She had lived in the Douglas, Mich., area before moving to Holland in 1991.

She was a member of the Community Church of Douglas, and a former member of Douglas Congregational United Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Roy, in 1978.

Survivors include her son, Ronald and Kathy Van Dragt of Douglas; three grandchildren; a brother, Kenneth and Freda Sargent of Fennville; and a sister, Rhea and Milton Larsen of Fennville.

James E. Van Vessem '33 of Penn Yan, N.Y., died on Friday, Sept. 15, 2000. He was 88.

He was born in West Sayville in Long Island, N.Y., on Jan. 13, 1912, the son of Peter and Matena Van Popering Van Vessem. He graduated from Sayville High School in 1929, and from New Brunswick Theological Seminary after Hope, where he was a member of the Emersonian Fraternity.

He held pastorates at The Old Brick Reformed Church in Marlborough, N.J.; The Helderberg Reformed Church in Guilderland Center, N.Y.; Altamont (N.Y.) Reformed Church; Clarksville (N.Y.) Reformed Church (as supply for 10 years); and First Reformed Church of Astoria, Queens.

Following clinical pastoral training at Columbia University and Union Theological Seminary, he was protestant chaplain at Hudson River Psychiatric Center in Poughkeepsie, N.Y., and Rochester Psychiatric Center. He also served as a lector at Colgate Rochester Divinity School in Rochester, N.Y.

He later obtained his master's degree in social work from Richmond Professional Institute while residing in Defuniak Springs. He served as a case worker district supervisor, and director of Walton County Children's Services in Florida.

After retiring in 1976, he returned to New York, living in Branchport and Geneva, and was an active member of St. James Episcopal Church in Hammondsport. In 1995, he moved to Penn Yan and joined the United Methodist Church.

He was a life member of Noah Lodge No. 754 F. & A.M. in Altamont.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley Van Vessem; a son, Craig (Bonnie) Van Vessem; stepdaughters, Suzanne Stanton, Shelley (Tom) Bicksler, Sandy Swift and Kathryn (Allan) Davino; stepsons, David (Lynne) Archibald, John (Kathy) Archibald and Carl (Karen) Bullock; a niece, Jacqueline Karlsen; 20 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two wives, Helen and LaVera; and his sister, Pauline McKeon.

Gertrude Zonnebelt '35 of Holland, Mich., died on Sunday, Sept. 24, 2000. She was 88.

She was born in Borculo, Mich.

She taught fourth grade at Van Raalte Elementary School in Holland for 37 years. She was a member of Pillar Christian Reformed Church.

Survivors include a sister, Lenora Zonnebelt of Holland; a niece, Judith Morehouse of Concord; and several cousins.

Sympathy To

The family of **Mina R. Gortsema** of Grand Rapids, Mich., who died on Monday, Oct. 30, 2000, at age 58.

Survivors include her husband, Tom; and her children, Tim Gortsema '82 and Jamie Gortsema of Grand Rapids, Sara Gortsema '95 Zang and Dan Zang of Grand Rapids, and Tom Gortsema Jr. '97 and Sara Looman '97 Gortsema of Spring Lake, Mich.

The family of **Sarah Beth Heideman**, who was stillborn on Monday, Nov. 6, 2000.

Survivors include her parents, Dr. Charlotte Johnson '87 Heideman and Carl Heideman '88 of Holland, Mich., and a brother and sister, Jack and Hope Heideman.

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Journey to glory

The journey of Hope's fall sports teams followed many paths.

For several it was a path to significant accomplishment and glory.

For the football team, for example, the journey began on a hot summer afternoon in the city of Queretaro, Mexico, and ended many months later on the snow-covered tundra of Holland Municipal Stadium. The Flying Dutchmen won their first outright Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association (MIAA) championship in 14 years and gained a berth in the NCAA Division III playoffs.

It was one of three MIAA championships for Hope fall sports teams. The men's golf team successfully defended its league title, while the volleyball team took the top prize for the third time in four seasons. The volleyball team also gained a spot in the NCAA championships.

The women's golf and men's cross country teams finished second; the men's soccer and women's cross country teams were third; and the women's soccer team ended fifth.

The cumulative result was that Hope gained the lead after the fall sports season in the MIAA all-sports standings. Already the winner of a league-record 22 all-sports championships (now known as the Commissioner's Cup), Hope teams amassed 84 all-sports points during the fall season, followed by Albion, 68; Calvin, 66; Alma and Kalamazoo, 56 each; Adrian, 24 and Olivet, 22.

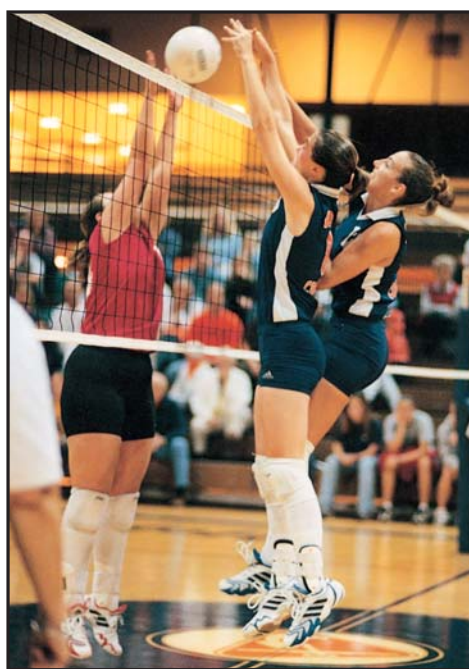
Hope athletes were named the most valuable in three fall sports — senior J.D. Graves in football, senior Aaron Vandenberg in men's golf and freshman Lacey Wicksall in women's golf.

Football

Last June the football team took its first international trip, playing an exhibition game against the team from the Autonomous University of Queretaro, Mexico. The game was played in the sweltering heat of a summer afternoon.

Five months later, the Flying Dutchmen were still on a football field, playing in an NCAA playoff game in a driving snowstorm that by game's end had obliterated the yard markers. The playoff journey was a short one, as the Dutchmen were defeated by Hanover, Ind., 20-3.

In between, Hope football fans celebrated



The Flying Dutch had many reasons to jump for joy as they won the MIAA crown and gained a berth in the NCAA championships. All-leaguers Laura Hahnfeld and Amy Brower (lower left) gave the Dutch a strong game at the net while senior setter Kim Grotenhuis gave her teammates ample opportunities to score.

an eight-game winning streak and undefeated conference season. The Dutchmen ended the 23rd-ranked team in all of Division III football, posting an 8-2 overall record.

It was Hope's third league championship in four years, but the first outright title since 1986. And Hope's 14 senior players had the distinction of becoming just the fifth senior class in the 91-year history of Hope football to accomplish the feat of playing on three championship teams.



Quarterback J.D. Graves of Troy, Mich., became the first player in the history of MIAA football to win most valuable player accolades in consecutive years. The MIAA has presented MVP awards since 1938. He was also extended an invitation to play in the Aztec Bowl, a post-season allstar game for outstanding Division III players, in December.

The Flying Dutchmen placed a total of 15 players on the coaches' All-MIAA teams.

First team honorees included junior offensive tackle Bill Crane of Cedar Springs, Mich., sophomore center Josh Rumpsa of Grand Rapids, Mich., senior tight end Jim Lamb of Mattawan, Mich., senior receiver Brian Adloff of East Grand Rapids, Mich., senior running back Adam Magers of Battle Creek, Mich., senior quarterback J.D. Graves of Troy, Mich., sophomore defensive end Ryan Kerstetter of Kentwood, Mich., senior linebacker Matt Bride of Petoskey, Mich., and sophomore punter Vince Scheffler of Chelsea, Mich. Adloff has been named to the All-MIAA first team for three years, twice as a tight end and this year as a receiver. He became Hope's all-time leading receiver, amassing 139 catches for 1,658 yards.

Voted to the All-MIAA second team were junior offensive tackle Nick Kunnen of Muskegon, Mich., senior fullback Scott Langlois of Hopkins, Mich., sophomore defensive lineman Andy Keller of Hastings, Mich., senior linebacker Kevin Kudej of Mount Morris, Mich., and sophomore linebacker Josh Baumbach of Wyoming, Mich.

Cross Country

Senior Joe Veldman (right) of Sawyer, Mich., qualified for the NCAA Division III national championships after finishing 13th at the Great Lakes Regional meet. He ended 45th in a field of 213 runners at nationals.

Eight Hope runners were afforded All-MIAA distinction. Joining Veldman on the first team were senior Garrett Childs of



(See "Fall Sports" on page seven.)

Across the top: The season's journey for the football team began on a hot summer afternoon in Mexico for players like All-MIAA running back Adam Magers. Teammates Nick Conrad and Chris Mangus led the on-field celebration of an MIAA championship following a home victory over rival Albion. And mother nature gained the upper hand in a season-ending NCAA playoff game. (The central celebration photo by Brian Forde is reprinted with the permission of *The Holland Sentinel*.)